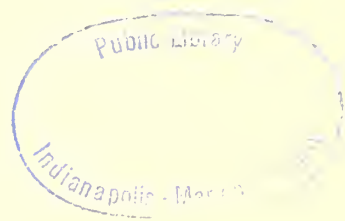



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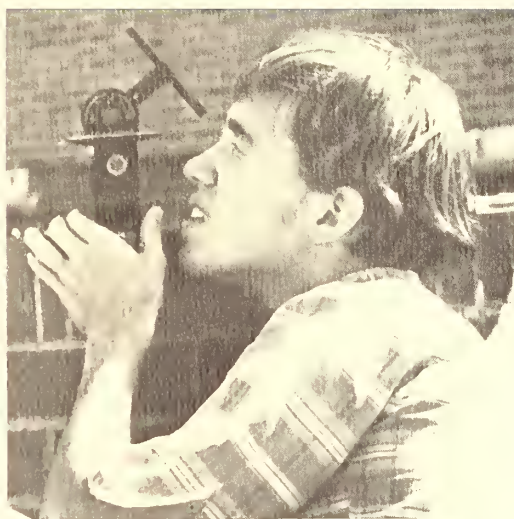


An individual at Northwest is someone . . .

*rushing to his bus in the morning . . .
congregating in the halls to talk
over the latest gossip . . .
forgetting gym clothes on Monday
morning . . .
getting up at 5:30 for band
practice . . .
rushing to class after the warning
bell . . .
giving hard-earned money to the
stadium drive . . .
wearing green on Friday . . .
being quiet? during announcements . . .
making the honor roll or missing it
by one point . . .
sweating all the way to the Dean's
Office . . .
explaining missing homework . . .
going to Mr. Gale to get his locker
un-stuck . . .
painfully performing a minor
operation on a dead frog . . .
buying potato chips and chocolate
milk for lunch . . .
pondering the tragedy of Macbeth . . .
exchanging notes between classes . . .
showing off her first sweetheart
ring . . .
setting the curve on a test and
having everyone hate him . . .
screaming himself hoarse at an
athletic contest . . .
winning queen contest honors . . .
going to the first formal dance
with his most favorite person . . .
pushing extra hard for the mile-run
record . . .
singing the school song when the
team is behind . . .
rehearsing late for the school
play . . .
coming home late from working at
Lafayette Square . . .
getting ready to face school again the
next day . . .*

**AN INDIVIDUAL AT NORTHWEST IS
SOMEONE WHO IS HIMSELF AND AN
IMPORTANT PART OF HIS SCHOOL . . .**





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Northwest individuals are important part of school

Twenty-three hundred individuals unite to make Northwest High School. Each has his own interests and talents. Each has his own likes and dislikes. Each chooses his own way of life, his own goals. But each has one thing in common—each is someone . . .

Whether he is a senior planning to enter college or a freshman struggling to make average grades, he is an important part of Northwest High School. He constitutes the football team, the choir, Stu-

dent Council, history club, and English classes. Certain pupils surpass others and become club presidents, Honor Society members, editors of publications, and members of the Exercise in Knowledge team.

But even the pupil who doesn't participate in any of these is an intricate part of Northwest. Without him, there would be no audience for the musicals, no fans to yell along with the cheerleaders, no Northwest.



An individual is someone who goes to the various activities during the school year . . . Student Life . . . p. 16



An individual is someone who follows his particular schedule of classes each day . . . Academics . . . p. 32



An individual is someone, whether his effort is big or small, noticed or unnoticed, is still someone . . . Album . . . p. 104

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An individual is someone who joins clubs of his interest and participates actively . . . Activities . . . p. 76



Daydreaming occupies Tom Lamkin, senior, during study hall while Sandra Hall, senior, makes use of the Reader's Guide.



During an early morning practice, Dennis Dooley, sophomore, plays in his sleep.

Congested traffic problems are found daily outside the cafeteria.





Pioneers prepare to leave for home after a busy day of tests, study, and extracurricular activities.



Cloudy or clear, Northwest pupils arrive early to prepare themselves for a day of classes.



Helen Clear, senior, prepares a character for "Alas Babylon."

"Beat North Central!" decorates the boards of study halls and classrooms.



Three arches open the way to afterschool activities for participants and observers.



Peg De Krueyter, junior, contemplates a remark made at College Day while she attends the session about Purdue University.



The privilege of eating first allows seniors to dispense of the insignificant task quickly and devote more time to gossip, study, and reflections.



"Charlie Chatard" hangs in effigy as a symbol of Pioneer spirit.



Victorious band members receive their medals for a first rating in the state band contest at Southport.



Typical NHS females display their athletic abilities during a "powder puff" football game after school.



Senior Sandy Sprouse cries in anguish as she loses her sight in a scene from the drama "Alas Babylon."



The mall is a frequent meeting place for Vicki Jarrett, sophomore; Jo Ella Bivens, junior; Randy Samper, senior; and Sue Lowell, sophomore.



Diane Hanft, senior demonstrates display techniques to Diane Allen, junior, at "Dorothy's," where they both work.



Selecting a pair of shoes at Lafayette Square is Tina Faught, senior.

Lafayette Square provides pupils place to work, shop

To hundreds of Pioneers, spacious Lafayette Square Shopping Center became a balanced source of money-saving and money-spending. As last summer progressed and new stores flashed grand openings, job applications bombarded the stores. Many Pioneers kept part-time jobs for the duration of the school year. Of course, not everyone diligently saved those weekly checks. Lafayette Square became a hang-out—a center for teens to browse and buy. Many came merely to sit quietly, watching the shoppers and enjoying the sparkle of the famous rainbow fountain in the mall. Lafayette

ette Square changed student life. Young people were caught in the bustle of a gala premiere, in the opening of a new economic center. Young citizens emerged as active participants in the expansion of Indianapolis business.

When not working, necessities had to be dealt with—TV, telephone, food—and homework. Ambitious Pioneers tackled private lessons varying from ballet to horse-back-riding.

After-school activities were not a waste of time. Not all knowledge could be book-learned. Activities made Pioneers well-rounded individuals.



While working, Jim Cox, senior finds time to peek at the ties and purchase one.



After school, Sally Chasteen, senior, spends her time aiding customers in the selection of just that right pair of the popular opaque hose to match an outfit.

Stadium reality result of diligent work by many

Friday, Nov. 1, 1968, a wish became reality for over 4000 people. For Pioneers, for teachers, for contractors and builders—for the entire community—it was the culmination of six years labor. Northwest High School proudly presented its new football stadium. During those six years, individual contributions, NPT activities, and school-sponsored projects such as the Student Council drive and "Time Out For Ginger" added to the huge

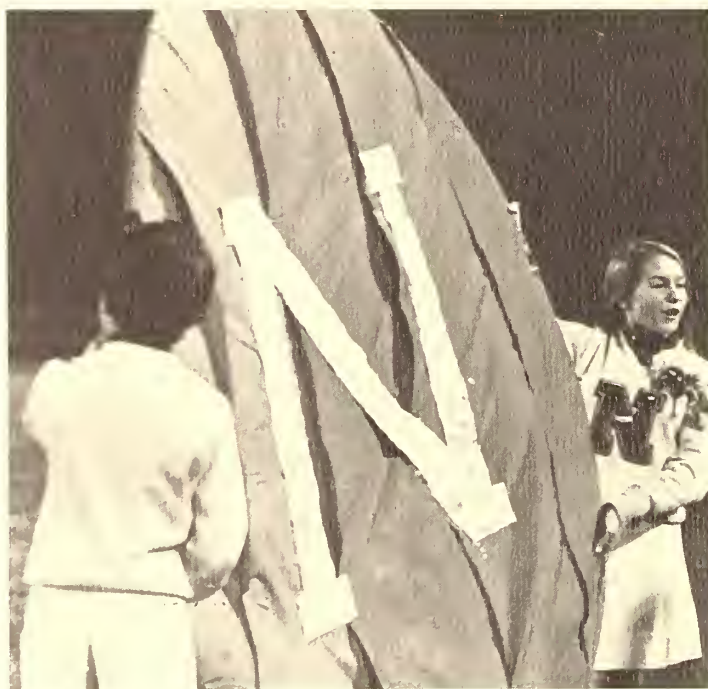
sum needed to start construction.

Highlighting the halftime ceremonies was the coronation of the stadium king and queen, chosen by the amount of money donated in their behalf.

Mayor Richard Lugar and Phil Eskew, Commissioner of the Indiana High School Athletic Association, spoke briefly at the dedication ceremonies. The Marching Pioneers presented a special animal halftime show.



Officially beginning the activities at stadium, the ROTC presents the flag.



Awaiting the Pioneers are Diana Skinner, senior and Pat Contos, junior.



Reigning are king and queen, Gary Cosgrove, senior, and Bev Owens, junior.



Thanks are given to stadium supporters by Mr. George Gale, vice-principal.



As the stadium foundation is begun, Pioneers anxiously await for its completion and their first home game.



Sophomore king and queen candidates, Jerri Ringenberger and Phil Potenza, ride around the track during halftime.



Enthusiastic Pioneers are lost in a blur of green and white pom-poms purchased from Northwest Parent-Teacher members to aid in paying for the stadium.

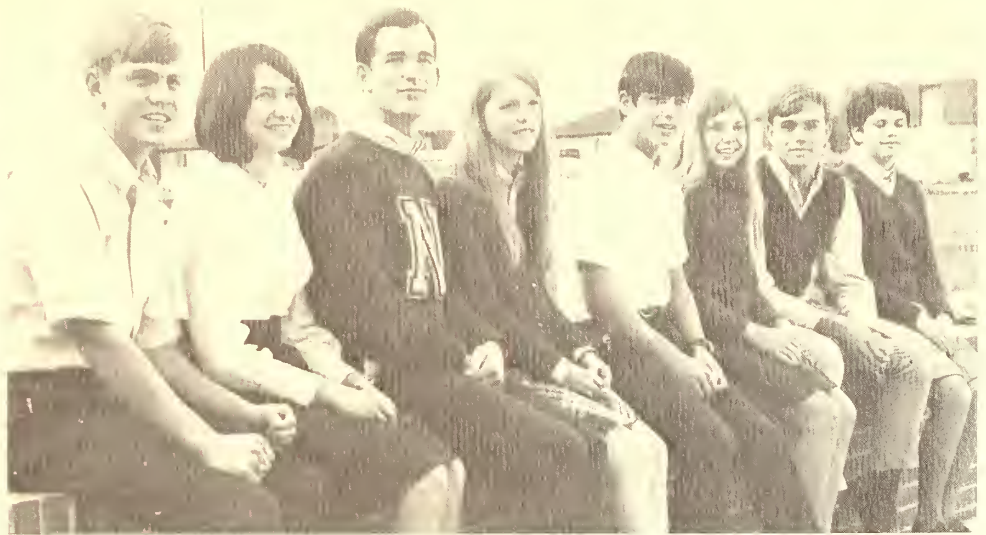


The school song brings tears to the eyes of Vicki Jordan, sophomore, after the Pioneers first loss in the new stadium.





Even the mayor of Indianapolis, Richard Lugar, participates in the dedication.



The king and queen candidates are: Gary Cosgrove and Diane Hanft, seniors; Steve Saligoe and Bev Owens, juniors; Phil Potenza and Jerri Ringenberger, sophomores; and Randy McKinley and Sharon Switzer, freshmen.



Team captains from Ben Davis and Northwest meet for the toss in mid-field.



Principal Kenneth Smartz crowns Bev Owens, junior, the first stadium queen in the history of Northwest during the half-time festivities.



STUDENT LIFE . . .

Student life is comprised of many things. To each individual at Northwest it may mean something different. To some it means proms, picnics, and a talent show. To others it's a special Christmas concert, an after-game dance or a sock

hop in the gym. It may mean a homecoming celebration or a musical or perhaps an after school job or a summer of travel. Each individual at Northwest leads an active life with student life an active part of his life.



Summer thoughts remain in minds of prom pairs

The illusion of "A Summer Place" became a reality for Suzie Huber and Chris Weldon as they reigned over the junior prom attended by 250 juniors and their dates. They were crowned half way through the evening by last years royalty, Rosemary Lincoln and Doug Cassman.

A daisy-covered trellis opened to display a park with evergreens, trees, a fountain, and wrought iron furniture. Yellow and white daisies

adorned the parkside. Inside, one wall was carefully decorated to resemble the inside of the trellis. Crepe-covered vases and flowers brightened each junior couple's table at their "Summer Place."

Completing the court were princesses Diane Hanft, Suzie Hunt, Bonnie James, and Becky Thompson, and princes Nick Boring, Steve Dotlich, Ronnie Hedges, and Bill Humphrey.



Relaxing before beginning their prom picnicking at McCormick's Creek are Gary Poulos and Cindy Wechsler.



Dancing the king and queen's dance are Chris Weldon, king and Suzie Huber, queen.



Dreaming and dancing are important elements of all junior proms.

Suzie Hunt congratulates the new king and queen, Chris Weldon and Suzie Huber.



Before their coronation, Suzie Huber and Chris Weldon circle the cafeteria.



That a small catastrophe can add to the fun of a prom picnic is testified by NHS boys as they repair a tire before heading home.

Summer pulls busy pupils to many different scenes

During the summer, many Pioneers forged ahead in their quest for education and enjoyment. Several attended summer institutes in fields such as journalism, cheerleading, foreign language, and government. Paula Parker, senior, brought honor to herself and to her school by becoming Governor of Girl's State. Nancy Huisman, senior, traveled to Europe while Mike Rader, senior, toured Mexico.

In July the summer dramatics class presented the three act play "The Bat" with Elise Jamison and

Mike Bennett portraying the leading roles. This dramatics class included several pupils from other schools who also took part in the presentation. Many other Northwest pupils attended classes during the summer to enable them to have a lighter schedule or take an elective in the fall.

For some, summer meant an opportunity to get a job. Others used the summer as a chance to rest up for the new year. These spent their time swimming, horseback riding, and lying in the sun.



Discussing activities at Boys' and Girls' States are seniors Jim Shearer, Kate Griffin and Martin Landreth.



Demonstrating new precision yells learned at Vincennes University cheerleading camp are Vickie Jordon, Teddy Swain, Debbie Atkinson, Diane Skinner, Terri Leonard, Janis Alsager, and Rita Couch.

Those who attended the Fellowship of Christian Athletes' summer camp are Dan Beuke, Bill Hicks, Mike Donahoe, Ken Stout, Rick Kramer, and Mick Dodson.

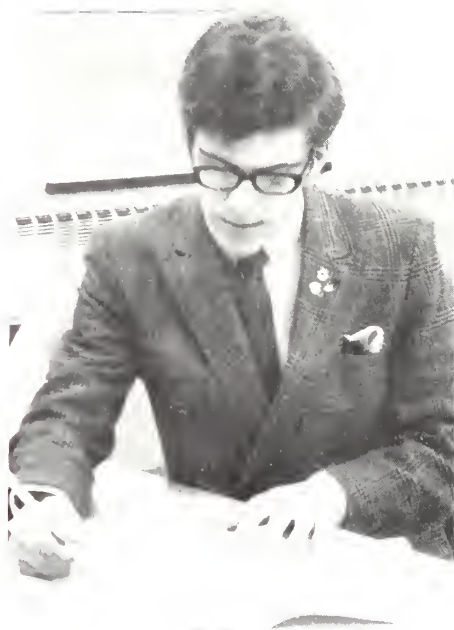




"Don't Horse Around" wins Sharon Pottgieser top prize in the 1968 Christmas mail poster contest.



Sharlene Queen, junior, accepts the office of secretary of the Indiana High School Press Association.



Mr. Junior Achievement Jim Cox, senior, works on plans for the trade Fair.



Student Council president Paula Parker discusses meeting activities with Mary Vann, Marsha Burrows and Mike Bell as part of her many duties.

Holiday spirit fills halls with enthusiasm, thrills

In spite of mild weather the Christmas spirit arrived at Northwest on schedule. Many clubs sponsored parties in the cafeteria or home economics dining room to celebrate the season. To add to the festivities, the Student Council decorating committee set up a large Christmas tree in the main lobby which had been donated by Mr. Peter Davis, guidance counselor.

Times of scrimping and saving were over. Everyone's main worry was to get the results of their penny-pinching wrapped up in the

gala paper and ribbon typical to the season. A very few made plans for last minute shopping details, and despite the fact that it was 'a very few' the stores were flooded.

Several special concerts were presented by the music department. Besides the annual Christmas assembly in which all groups participated, the choir sang carols on the Circle and the Belles travelled to Nashville, Indiana to sing for the Lions Club. Both filmed a television concert.



Becky Dresser, junior, helps to decorate the tree to the enjoyment of a young child.



From atop the ladder, Pat Helvey, junior, adds a few finishing touches to the school Christmas tree.



To add to the Christmas spirit, the band plays a medley of Christmas songs at the annual holiday assembly presented for the student body.



Mrs. Constance Zimlich, student council sponsor, offers advice to council members.



Through songs, the Belles of Northwest spread Christmas cheer and goodwill to fellow pupils and teachers at the annual Christmas program.



Giving the tree a few masculine touches is Julio Rosello, freshman.

Queen crowning, victory make successful evening

Strains of "Auld Lang Syne" faded. People leaned forward. Paper cracklers and peanut crushers received warning looks. All eyes focused on the gym floor.

As the royal processional began, each Silverette twirled green and white pom-poms in honor of each princess in passing. Nervous silence followed. And finally, the climax. Mr. James Albright announced the 1969 Homecoming Queen—Diane Skinner. Nancy McCauley, 1968 Queen, crowned her successor.

Pioneer victory over Arlington made January 14, 1969 a perfect Homecoming night.

Five senior queen candidates were nominated by the senior class, but the queen was chosen by an all school election. Princesses Kate Griffin, Dianne Hanft, Suzie Hunt, and Becky Thompson and their escorts completed the royal court. Dianne Hanft was in charge of all Homecoming festivities. To top the evening, Student Council sponsored a post-game dance.



Beginning homecoming festivities by struggling for the tip-off is Bill Humphrey.



Senior Diane Skinner squeals in delight as her court looks on as she is announced 1969 Homecoming queen during the halftime ceremonies.



Newly crowned queen, Diane Skinner, receives her roses from Nancy McCauley.



Reigning over Vanguard Variety festivities are newly crowned King Brent Junkins and Queen Kate Griffin, seniors.

Various talents blossom in first Vanguard Varieties

Northwest pupils excel other than in the classroom, in athletics or in extra-curricular organizations. This was clearly demonstrated by 60 talented Pioneers who were spotlighted in the "Vanguard Varieties," student variety show presented for the first time, January 10, in the auditorium.

An appreciative audience applauded 13 "V Squared" acts featuring folk and pop singers, dancers, pianists, and skits by the junior and senior girls. Introducing the acts were Tim Campbell, junior,

and Suzie Huber, senior, who were master and mistress-of-ceremonies.

Highlighting the evening was the crowning of the yearbook king and queen, Brent Junkins and Kate Griffin of the senior class, during the intermission. They were crowned by Jim Reed, senior, and Julie Evans, junior, student directors.

Sponsoring the "Varieties" were Northwest's student publications. Proceeds aided the Vanguard and Telstar in meeting their annual budgets.

Setting the show's tempo are "Clan" members Dave Mason and Dennis Duley.



Thespians highlight year with 'Sound of Music'

Smearing 25 pounds of wheat paste on scraps of paper to make a paper mache mountain, chanting rosaries, and stretching a bit to reach a dancing partner sound like three entirely abstract problems, but to cast and stage crew members of "The Sound of Music," they were very much related.

A smash Broadway musical and Academy Award winning film, "The Sound of Music" was presented March 14 and 15 with Sandra Sprouse and Lonny Huber in the lead roles of Maria and Captain Von Trapp. While petite Sandra and tall Lonny faced difficulties in danc-

ing a Laendler folk dance, 26 girls patiently learned nuns' proper conduct—walking, kneeling, crossing themselves, and chanting Latin.

Four children from grade schools sang and acted in the musical; they already knew most of the songs before rehearsals even started. During one song, the children, acting like the hands of a clock, got to hit each other on the head. "They got a big kick out of that," Sandy remembered.

Since Sandy alone wore 10 different costumes, mothers, grandmothers, and aunts rated sewing draffees.



Maria played by Sandra Sprouse, pleads with the Mother Superior to be allowed to sing in the abbey.



During practice, the Von Trapp family gathers with Maria, Sandra Sprouse, to escape a thunderstorm and sing "The Lonely Goatherd."



Lonnie Huber, senior, tries to hold a straight face while being made up for his role as Captain Von Trapp.



Max Detweiler, played by David Schuster, junior, sings "No Way to Stop It" to Von Trapp, Lonnie Huber, and Elsa Schureader, Mary Huber, sophomore.



Leading her brothers and sisters in "So Long, Farewell" is Liesl as played by Debbie Baron, sophomore.



ACADEMICS . . .

An individual at Northwest spends most of his time in academic pursuits. He takes required courses such as biology or economics, but he also spends much of his time specializing in his favorite field. Perhaps he likes math and so

he may take calculus or computer math. Perhaps she likes business and will take shorthand and clerical practice. No matter what he likes, an individual at Northwest receives a well-rounded education from a well-qualified faculty.



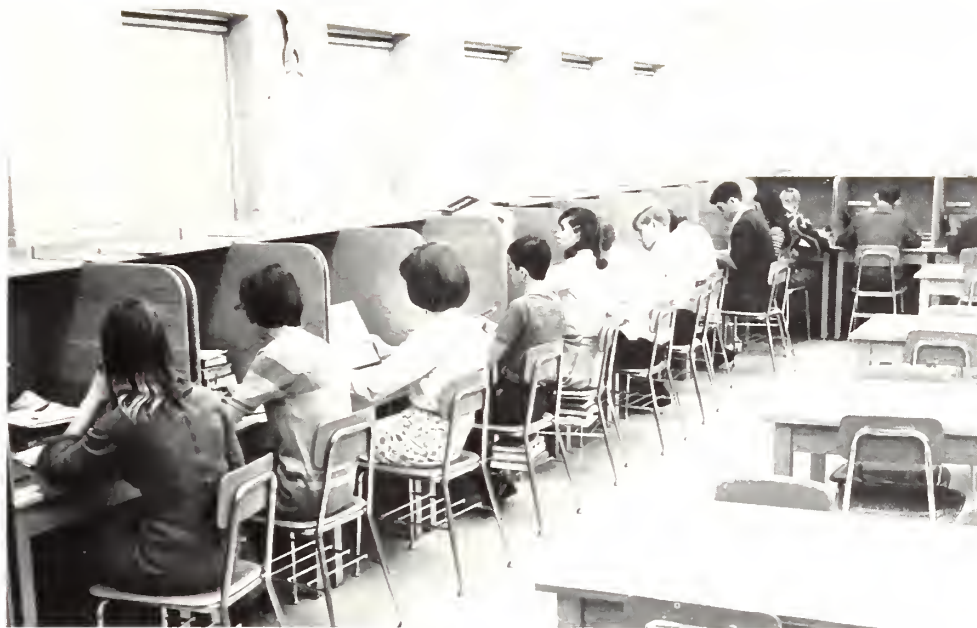
A place for study and research is the service the NHS library offers.



LIBRARY ASSISTANTS—*FRONT ROW:* Linda Hunter; Anfela Sansbury; Betty Troyer; Paula Stephens; Donna Smith; Billie Godby; Nikki Samper; Dana Hubbard. *SECOND ROW:* Cathy Sidener; Polly Hallagan; Dathy Thompson; Jackie Browning; Katrine Zieher; Wendy Pierson; Barbara Buis; Kathy Nissen; Sheila Stanley. *THIRD ROW:* Jane Goerke; Ella Stephens; Katrina Lines; Sheila Newman; Cathy Worthington; Dianne Taylor; Sandy Jones; Bonita White; Dianne Graham; Tom Moit; Christina Bartley. *FOURTH ROW:* Marty Smith; Debbie White; Dotaphelia Green; Becky Winters, Becky Matthews, Rose Moore, Sandi Worthington, Barbara Morehouse; Tom Taylor, Britt Lipscomb; Hubert Fryman.



Ron Selby, sophomore, finds studious atmosphere for research papering.



Developmental reading laboratory gives NHS pupils an opportunity to improve their reading speed and comprehension with the aid of special devices.



Mr. John Render, English teacher, is happy with Janet Davenport's improvement.



Jean Brocklehurst and Debbie Coleman, juniors, assist their English teacher, Mrs. Arwilda Burton, with a special bulletin board display.

Personal accomplishment stressed in science courses

From dissecting a fetal pig to studying reaction rates of the elements, science department courses offered practical knowledge as well as variance in uncommon general knowledge.

Enrollment increased by 200 to 1,510 this year. Because the science department was one of the largest in the school, expanding the science classes to the old math wing was necessary to accommodate the growing number of enrollees.

Research and careful observation

were stressed in experimentation. One pupil received \$100 from the Heart Fund on his research project. An accurate account of every satellite launched by America and Russia was another project recorded by a science-minded Pioneer.

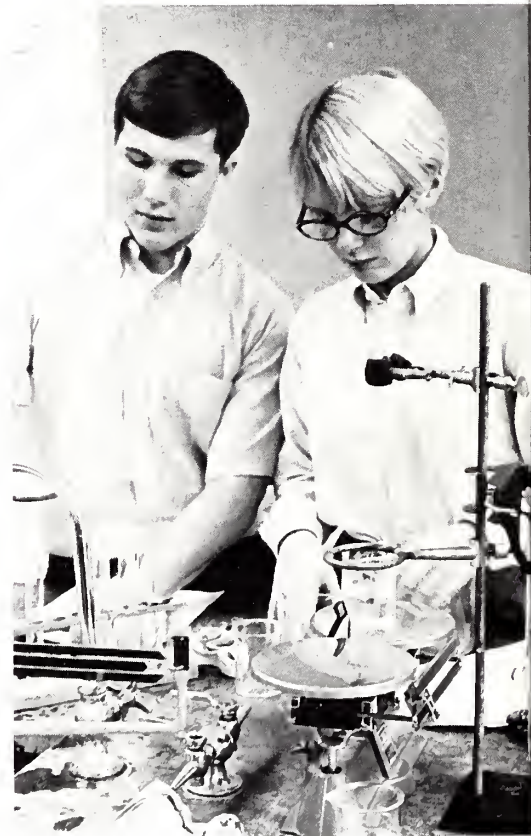
For the first time, four NHS students enrolled in the Science Seminar, an organization which meets Saturday mornings to enable pupils from various high schools to attend lectures covering the science field in depth.



Linda Montgomery, junior, measures zinc as the first step of an experiment.



Biology teacher Mrs. Leigh Richie points out new fish acquired by the science department to her pupils, Bob Gushree and Rexanne Coleman, sophomores.



Terry Boring and Gail Fisher, juniors, prove teamwork pays off during experiments.

Basic math or computers, it all figures out here



Mr. William Saler and his student teacher, Mrs. Wilcox, discuss teaching methods.

Find the distance represented by the area between the two curves $y = \sin x$ and $y = \cos 3x$. Impossible? Not to students who took analytic geometry and calculus. This advanced course was offered to seniors who had taken Geometry I & II and Algebra III & IV in their sophomore year.

Computer math, a unique course at Northwest, was again offered. Beginning in the fall sophomores with special permission could also take the course previously offered

to juniors and seniors only.

Seniors Alan Shirley and Bruce Shelley conducted a Science Seminar session at I.U. Medical Center demonstrating how to solve problems with a portable terminal connected by telephone to a Chicago computer.

Approximately thirty-five juniors and seniors took part in a national mathematics contest conducted by the Mathematical Association of America and the Society of Actuaries.



Reducing a fraction by first factoring isn't difficult to Scott Swanson, sophomore, who explains it to the class on the blackboard.

Study of history is more than past, present events

Approximately 1544 pupils enrolled in one of the 10 courses offered by Northwest's social studies department. Thirteen teachers, including five new to the Northwest faculty, taught courses such as international relations, world geography, and Indiana history. Latin American civilization was offered again as more pupils took an interest in world affairs. Though pupils were required to take U.S. History, government, and economics, many enrolled in these elective courses.

Because of the national elections there was no mock election. Instead, classes debated and discussed each national candidate and many state and local candidates in preparation for a school election. Election day Northwest students, like the nation, voted Republican, electing Mr. Nixon as President of the United States of America.

Seniors ranking in the upper 25% of their class were eligible to compete for \$1500 in scholarships, awarded by the Lilly Foundation.



Mr. Ralph Horn, department head, scans the abundance of work on his desk.



Mr. Mark Nuthall finds his pupils interested in the national government.



Arleen Bolton and Eddie Koehl argue an important issue against Janet Wiseman and Bill McKinley in a debate over current events in social problems.

Pupils turn to counselors for help with future plans

"The guidance department is a service intended for the students at Northwest High School," said Mr. Richard Cummins, head guidance director. Under his direction, four counselors directed pupils in their programs and vocational choices. Catering to all pupils, the guidance department emphasized a personal-social aspect.

Special programs sponsored by the guidance department included both the senior and freshman parent nights, College Day for juniors and seniors, and Careers Day for the whole student body.

Seniors faced college and career planning, juniors and sophomores new program schedules, and freshmen an entirely new world in high school. But all had the assistance of the guidance department which encouraged students to make appointments for counseling.



Mr. Richard O'Brien helps counsel Polly Hallaghan, junior, with her class schedule for her fourth and final year at Northwest.



Mr. Larry Apt forecasts events to come for freshman in an orientation class.

Physical fitness is integral part of daily school life

Since physical fitness is an important basis for life, the physical education department at Northwest promotes healthy outlets for NHS pupils.

All Pioneers are required to participate in at least two semesters of gym; however, further training is offered. Advanced P.E. can build greater physical skills as well as providing a chance to assist underclassmen. Two gym assistants help supervise the eight classes with 40—44 pupils. Silverettes and one

advance class with 26 pupils each are branches of Girls' P.E.

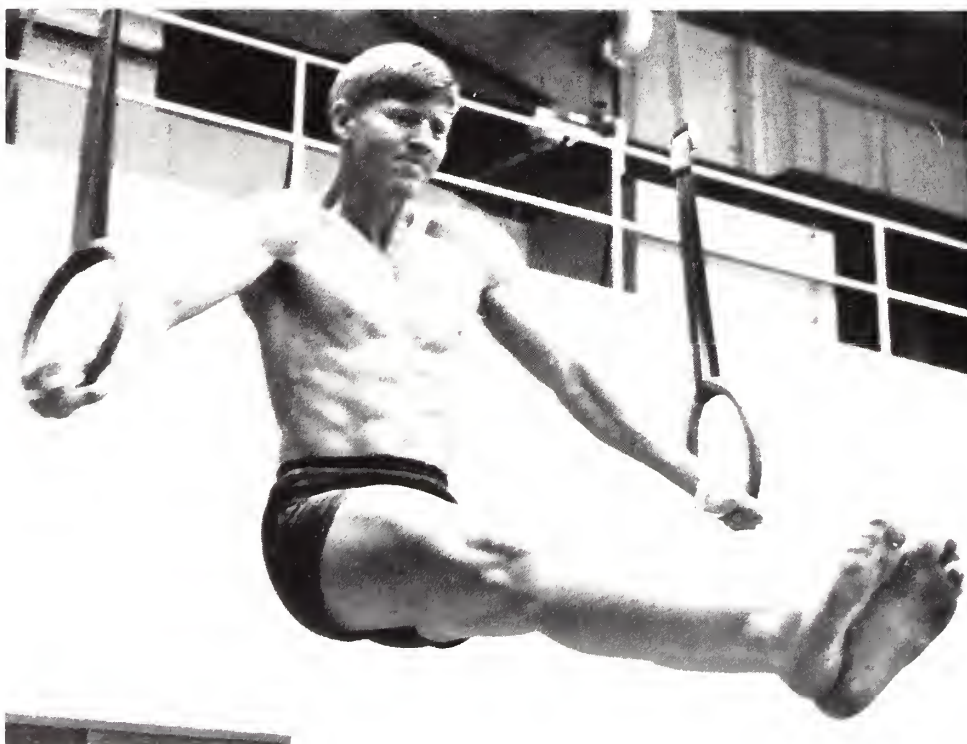
Activities are planned with many purposes in thought—their value, usefulness, and simple enjoyment in recreation such as tennis and ping-pong. Also for the more advanced student there is the apparatus equipment consisting of parallel bars, horses and high bar. All of this equipment takes many hours of practice for the advanced student.



Sophomore Mike Cook demonstrates a new way of walking in advanced gym.



Basketball is an important part of freshman Mike Owen's physical training.



As the number of semesters increase, so does the difficulty of the stunts. Agile junior Mike Lynn performs on the rings.



Senior Nancy Huisman shows Vicki Anderson and Stephanie Bastin, juniors, how to operate the lab machines.



Mr. David Banks employs the total method by speaking only French to his classes.

Language studies expand with addition of German

New to the foreign language department was the "total method" of teaching. Mr. David Banks, new French teacher, spoke to his students in French at all times—even after school. In class conversations were only allowed in French, too.

About 800 Pioneers were enrolled in German, a new course, French, Latin, or Spanish. New tapes came with new textbooks. By using recorders and ear phones, students could practice more drills and vocabulary.

Several honors were offered to deserving young linguists. An I.U.

Honors Program and a one-week Latin Summer Institution took the student from classroom teaching to practical everyday use of the foreign language. Living and studying the "total method" for the summer in countries such as Mexico and Italy benefited not only language perfection, but foreign relation as well.

Awards given on Awards Day at NHS included the best student in all four languages and announcements of the I.U. Honors Program winners in state language contests.



Proper pronunciation is being learned by Gary Cosgrove and Bill Humphrey, seniors, who listen to a playback of their own recordings.



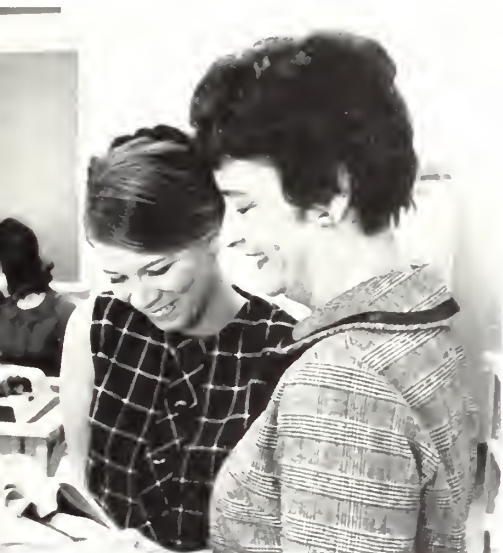
Computing a long list of figures is Jim Croslev, senior, in machine calculation.



Senior Susie Huber has Diane Buchanan help tie her hair back for advanced secretarial practice to conform to class rules.

Miss Marguerite Lamar assists Paul Hankins, senior, on the adding machine.





Miss Diane Hibbeln points out the lesson to Ann McColough, her student teacher.

Pupils prepare for future with new business study

Although strikeovers, correct copy, transcription notes, and debits and credits threatened, hundreds of Pioneers learned skills applicable in college, personal life, or any private business in the business education department. Varied courses from typing, to consumer business education attracted 1,493 students.

Two new one-semester, full-credit classes, merchandising and introduction to data processing, re-emphasized the diversity and specialization of Northwest's busi-

ness curriculum.

Added equipment benefited machine calculating classes: new machines included an electronic calculator and printing calculators. In class new filmstrips broke the routine of daily work.

Business education participated in the National Secretaries' Association Contest, and the Legal Secretaries' Scholarship Awards. In cooperation with Northwest, Indiana State University offered its work-study program to business students.



Dicta-phones prove useful to Jeanine Smaltz, senior, and her instructor Mrs. Phyllis Carroll.



Gloria Sholar, senior, is intent in the perfection of her typing.

Practical studies prepare individuals for adult roles

Home economics and industrial arts prepare the Northwest Pioneer with useful skills which will be helpful in a career or in home projects.

Industrial arts includes courses in metal, electrical, drafting, and woodshops. Shop classes instruct boys in the intricacies of mechanical work. In general, pupils work on actual projects such as constructing ticket boxes, printing programs, and office forms. Radio and television repairs introduced the world of electronics to Pioneers enrolled in electrical shop.

Courses for prospective homemakers are offered in home economics. Careful planning of meals is an ingredient of a nourishing diet. Patience is emphasized in sewing fabrics for clothing projects. Understanding the pattern of family living and modern trends in the home were the main topics in the subject of family relations.



Sandy Burr, Bonnie Bowman, Andy Satterfield and Pam Dellinger watch as Debbie Christman adds whipped cream to an ambrosia salad in her foods class.

Debbie Tolin, junior, presses her coat to add the final touch to her Clothing III project.

The first step in completing a blouse for Sherry Vanzandt and Rita Campbell is cutting out the pattern.

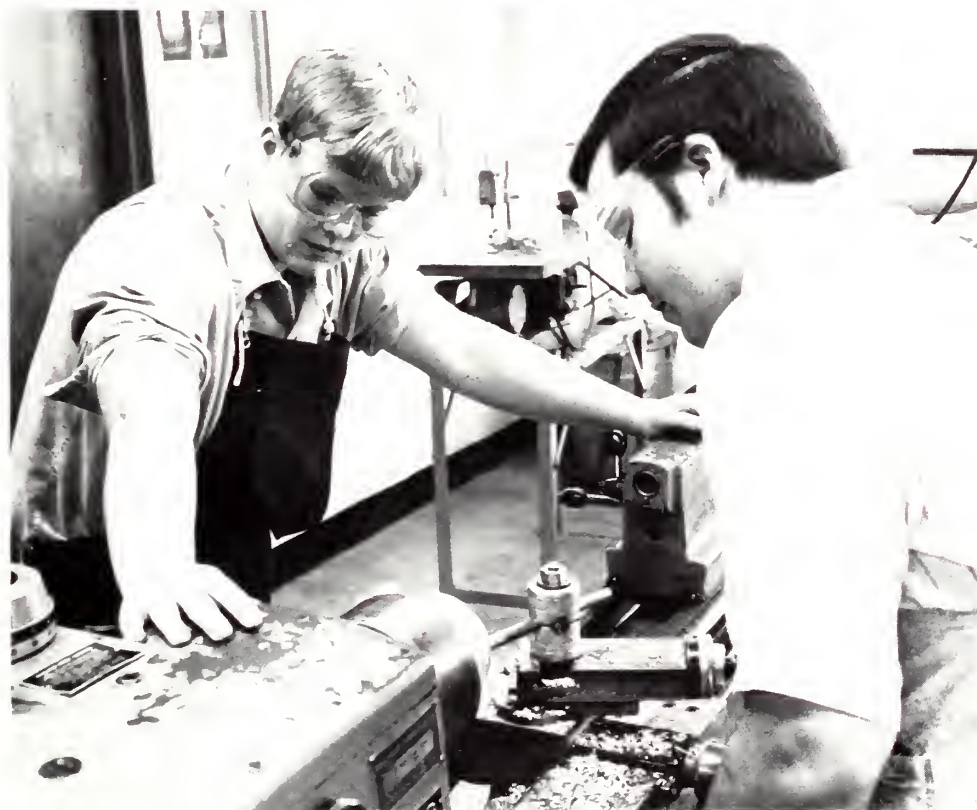




Richard Taifflinger, freshman knows that it takes patience to set type for print shop.



Kenneth Branam, freshman, reveals his accuracy in wood shop.



Using their skills in wood shop are Steve Cass, sophomore and Tony Smith, junior.

Fulfilling individual talents is goal of cultural studies

Encouraging creativity and individual expression was the job of the Art and Music Departments.

Under the direction of art department head, Joe Reynolds, the Pioneer artists provided honors for themselves and a wealth of decorative displays.

Art students created original items from rugs to jewelry. General techniques of art were learned in Arts 1-8 while other arts courses specialized in certain areas. Commercial art classes stressed adver-

tisement layout while pupils in lettering and jewelry learned the techniques in their field.

Meanwhile, Pioneer musicians developed their talents under Mr. Darrel Horton, music department head. Besides the usual band, orchestra, and chorus classes, Northwest had several unique courses. These included Dance Band and Swing Choir. Courses in music theory and appreciation were also taught to enable Pioneers to obtain a minor in music.



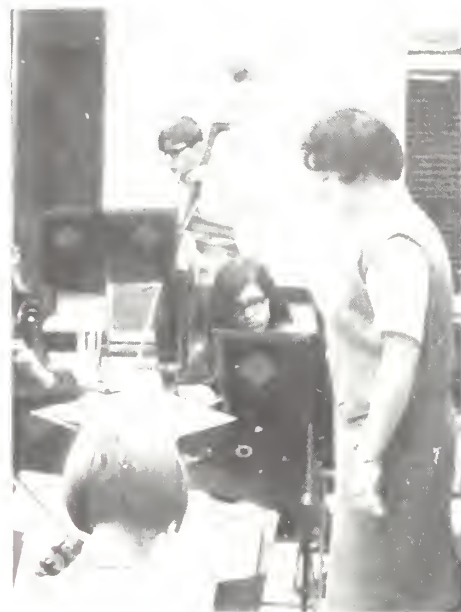
Comparing designs are Sandra Obenchain and John Sanders, freshmen, in their Art I class.



Mr. Joseph Reynolds, art department chairman, admires hard work, talent, and inspiration put forth in a creative water color seascape.



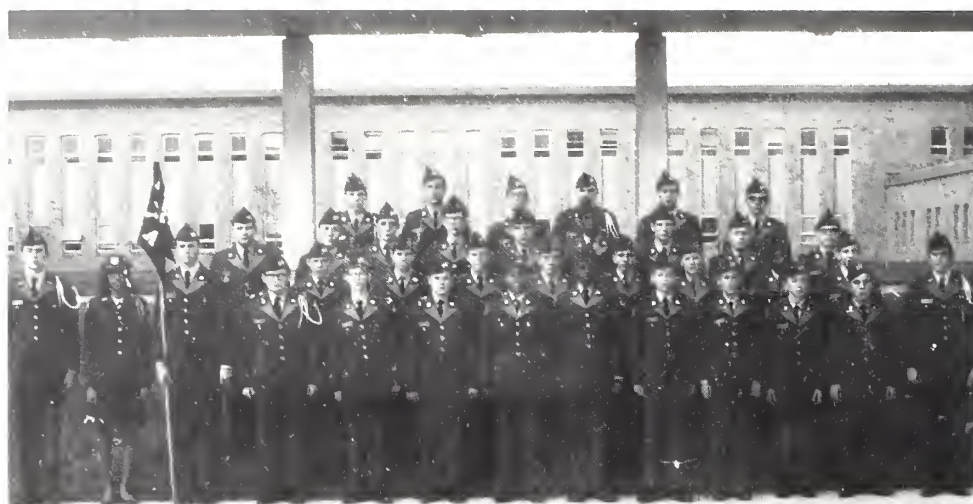
Mr. Darryl Horton, head of the music department, works with the marching band during a scheduled class hour.



Miss Karol Ruby, orchestra conductor, listens attentively as her pupils practice their current selection for a concert.



Jim Wetzel, Kate Osburn, Richard Knight, and Tom Mahler concentrate deeply on a selection in order to improve their playing skills.



ROTC—Company A: *FRONT ROW*: T. Walsh, V. Anderson, P. Clemons, N. Bufore, C. Miller, K. Fodrie, R. Guthrie, D. Bolten, G. Zeiher, R. Huston, J. Overton, S. Dismon, D. Christ; *SECOND ROW*: T. Brooking, Lentz, Young, Shipp, Slagle, Rinker, Morris, Geddes; *THIRD ROW*: Sauer, Labaw, R. Phillips, Fox, Unperhill, Davis, Jordan, Hanna, Hall; *BACK ROW*: Banks, Walters, Fixcus, Wood, Feltner, Wright.



ROTC—Company B: *FRONT ROW*: James Whitaker, Cheryl O'Riley, Thomas Mooney, Frank Bragg, David Deepain, Francis Ingram, Steve Grubbes, Scott George, James Wamsley, Richard Cammerville, William Daniels; *SECOND ROW*: Alvin Query, Rodney Smith, Mike Brunson, James Pittaway, Gary Black, Dennis Saylor, Lamarr Kimbraugh; *THIRD ROW*: Jim Griffin, William Brooks, Terry Dodson, Steve Price, Floyd Pittman, Thomas Anthony; *BACK ROW*: John Heffley, Ernest Boram, Thomas Alderson, Byan Bastin, Gary Thompson.



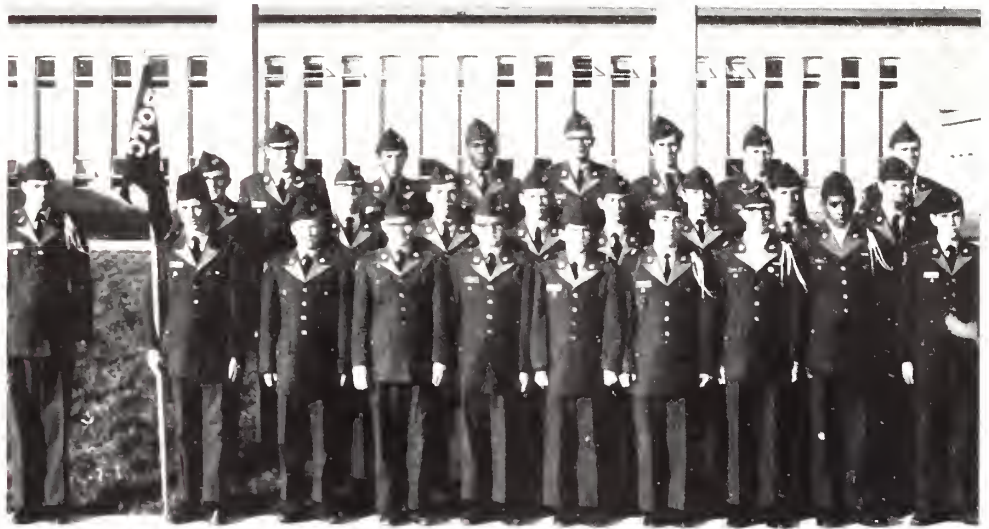
Rick Wood, sophomore, leads Mike Price and Mark Wright, freshmen, in drilling with Army W/M1 rifles.

Hup, 2,3,4 fills halls of Northwest for 1st time

A new tradition was started at NHS in 1968. For the first time the Reserve Officers' Training Corps Program was offered. With over 175 cadets enrolled, the battalion participated in extracurricular activities such as drill meets, rifle tournaments and the Veteran's Day Parade.

The objectives of the ROTC program was to develop student habits of orderliness and precision and to instill discipline and respect for constituted authority. The program tried to build self-confidence and to encourage a high sense of personal honor and deportment.

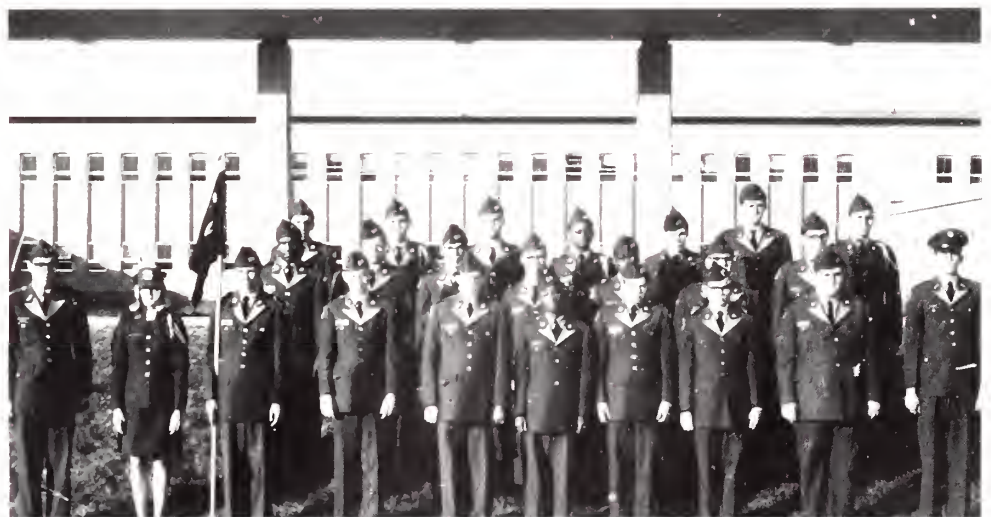
The highlight of the year for the cadets was the first Military Ball March 8. The cafeteria dance had as its theme "Rainbows in Heaven." The queen was crowned from among the six sponsors.



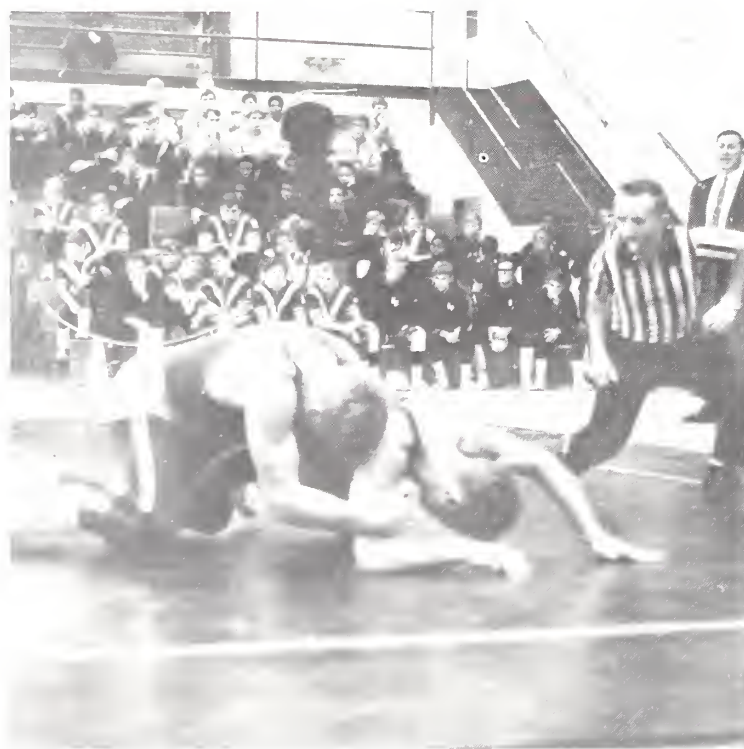
ROTC—Company D: *FRONT ROW*: Eugene Helton, Donald Browning, Brad Smith, Reginald Osborne, Eric Wright, Gregory King, Eddie Schell, Clayce Thrush, Leslie Corbin, Victor Rinks; *SECOND ROW*: Roger Curl, Steve Riggs, Michael Disman, Jeff Storis, John Herkless, Gary Beisel, Ken Plummer, John Chastain; *BACK ROW*: William Brooks, Ronald Justice, Gregory Hale, Randy Robinson, Ronnie Bosch, Gene Pettigrew, Frank Ingram.



1st Sgt. Bell and Sfc Heady promote Jeff Castile, sophomore, to the role of 1st Lieutenant in the ROTC.



ROTC—Company C: *FRONT ROW*: Glenn Stark, C/Lt, Gail Albright, C/Lt, Ray Brooking, Larry Meridith, Mark Parsons, Paul Bateman, Dennis Reed, Loren Whisler, Kerry Kennington, Tom Gillespie, C/Lt; *SECOND ROW*: Anthony Dlam, Steve Cass, Jeffrey Gossett, Louis Flynn, Tobe Brown, William Brown, James Raimondi; *BACK ROW*: William Leslie, Donald Watson, Darrell Inskeep, Reginald Ferguson, William Sedam, Tom Graves, Steven Hand.



SPORTS . . .

An individual at Northwest is someone who pushes for that extra point. To him sports is an incentive to work harder, to keep in shape, and to play fair. He is the one who practices for hours after school. He has pride in his school. He wants to build team spirit and

enthusiasm. He wants to win for his school. An individual at Northwest is someone who smiles when he loses and shakes hands with his rival when he wins. An individual at Northwest is someone with sportsmanship.



Gorman, Swathwood direct rookie baseball team

Despite the sub-.500 season, the NHS baseball team was one of Northwest's strongest. Their 10—11 record belied their potential. Seven games were lost by one run and two games were lost by two runs. The diamondmen handed Marshall their only loss of the season.

The varsity was led by seniors Mike Gorman, pitcher, and Mike Swathwood, catcher. Swathwood was named all-city catcher, and his .400 batting average paced the

team. Gorman shared hurling honors with Scott Collins, senior, and Paul Cummins, sophomore.

Their season was even more surprising, considering Gorman and Swathwood were the only returning first string players. Seven positions were filled by reserves or new team members. This inexperience proved a stumbling block during some games, but the underclassmen learned valuable lessons towards next year.



Coach Don Stone contemplates the progress of the game along with the team.



Varsity Baseball

	NHS	
Ben Davis	5	4
Attucks	5	11
Manual	3	1
Scecina	1	2
Decatur Central	1	8
Arlington	4	2
Chatard	7	4
Washington	3	2
Lebanon	1	3
North Central	4	0
Marshall	5	6
Carmel	2	5
Cathedral	3	1
Wood	3	40
Howe	4	2
Broad Ripple	2	0
Tech	1	13
Brebeuf	5	0
Ritter	0	1
Lebanon	4	5
Plainfield	6	5

Varsity Baseball—FRONT ROW: Jim Shearer, Mike Young, Paul Cummins, Bob Wellington, Ron Wilson, John Drake, Mike Mobley. BACK ROW: Bucky Eibe, Jim Jones, Scott Collins, Ray Schubert, Mike Gorman, John Mitney, Mike Switzer, Steve Saligoe, Mike Swathwood, Coach Don Stone.



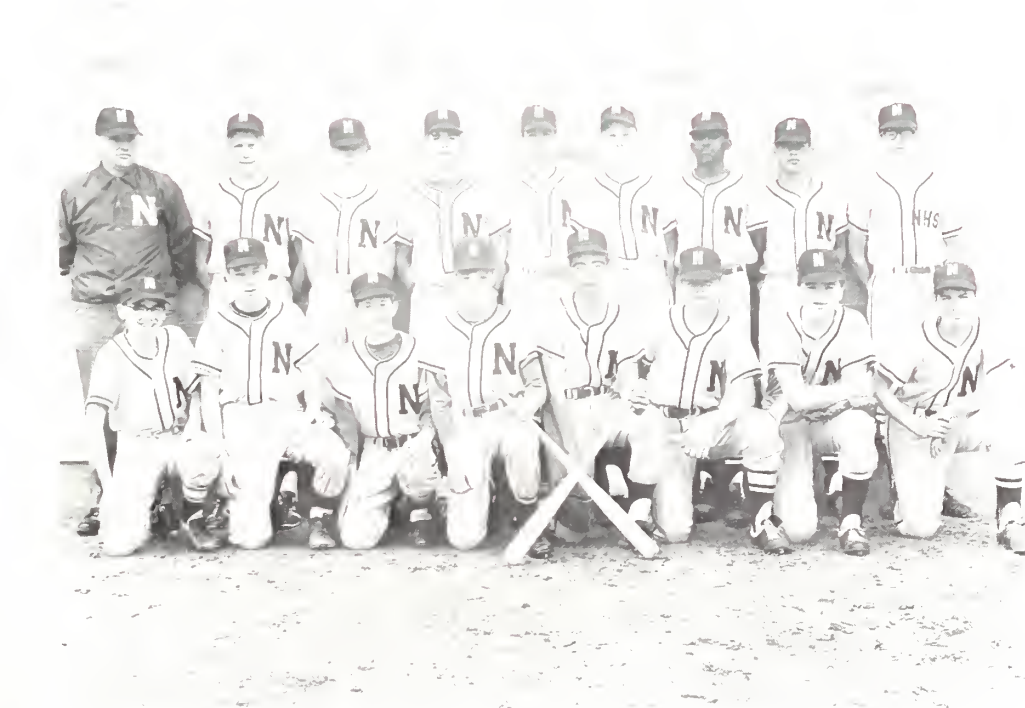
Junior Varsity Baseball—FRONT ROW: Manager Bob Richards, Dave Cassell, Bob Doll, Jim Finley, Mike Kirkman, Tom Steorts, Mike Hinderliter, Neil Gobel, Tom Reed. BACK ROW: Doug Willoughby, John Chastain, Dave Morgan, Don Beuke, Bill Dunham, Mark Woodson, Tim Campbell, Dave Strange, John Doll, Coach Robert Groomer.

Junior Varsity Baseball



	NHS	
Ben Davis	3	3
Manual	8	1
Secina	9	5
Decatur Central	3	2
Arlington	3	6
Chatard	3	2
Washington	4	10
Lebanon	4	2
North Central	5	3
Marshall	7	6
Cathedral	10	4
Speedway	5	1
Howe	10	1
Tech	1	2
Broad Ripple	9	8
Brebeuf	8	2
Ritter	0	6

Season Record 5—11—1



Freshman Baseball—FRONT ROW: Randy Pitts, Mike Kirkman, Mitchell Pirtle, Scott McGrew, Jay Hashbarger, Carl May, John Phillips, Doug Crawford. BACK ROW: Coach Jack Stabler, Dale Byard, Mike Herschel, Steve Collins, Joe Sherman, Dick Beuka, Monty Lewis, Steve Pickett, Greg Scudder.

Freshmen Baseball

	NHS	
Manual	10	10
Howe	5	6
Manual	4	5
Cathedral	3	6
Marshall	3	0
Speedway	6	7
Arlington	3	7

Season Record 4—2—1



Riverside provides a diamond for most of the Northwest baseball battles during the spring.

Individual efforts boost thinclads to new records

Perhaps more than any other sport, track is a sport for individuals. These individuals must perform well in their different areas of competition, yet still be members of a single unit.

The 1968 track season saw school records fall to be replaced by new, faster ones. Bill Hicks, sophomore, set the record in the mile with a time of 4:25 minutes. He also went on to become the city-county and sectional champ. Senior Evan Davis blazed into the record books by winning the city-county and sec-

tional championships in the 880-yard dash.

Other school records fell when Bernie Terhune, senior, soared 13 feet in the pole vault, and Mike Larrison, sophomore, putted the shot 48 feet 4 1/2 inches to clinch the school record in shot put.

Finally, Dan Pfaff, senior, ran the low hurdles in 20.8 seconds and ran the high hurdles in 15.5 seconds to put his name into the books.

As a team, Coach Vern McCarty's thinclads placed fifth in the city, and fourth in sectional competition.



Tom Mahler, Mike Tillery, Evan Davis, and Bill Hicks prove to be an asset to the 67-68 track team.



Senior, Tom Miller, stretches his legs for the distance run contests.



VARSITY TRACK—FRONT ROW Ronnie Ragland, Evan Davis, Alan Harper, Bill Hicks, Gene Walden, Tom Miller, Dan Ransdell, Bill Tipps. *BACK ROW* Rusty Gray, Stan Miller, David Herring, Charles Jones, Mike Larrison, Harold Jones, Joe Christy, Dan Pfaff, Bernie Terhune, Fred Albert, Coach Larry Compton, Coach Vern McCarty, Coach Bill Ritter.

Varsity Track

	NHS
Ben Davis—Speedway	25 92
Marshall	23 92
Southport—Chartrand	96 53
Scecina	31 87
Wood	46 71
Shortridge	64 55
N. Central—	
W. Central	122 26
Decatur	81 37
Noblesville	69 49
City	Fifth
Sectional	Fourth
Arlington Invitational	Third

Season Record
4—5—0



JUNIOR VARSITY TRACK—FRONT ROW Ernie Jones, Harold Bailey, Charles Blake, Dennis Dooley, Tom Carver, Richard Giltner, Charles Claus, Mike Cherry, Bruce Kendall. *BACK ROW* Manager Ed Resnick, Steve Benninger, Duane Gauger, Tom Mahler, Fred Smoot, Mike Leamon, Frank McMahon, Mike Clemmons, Mike Tillery, Tom Butler, Ron Selby, Alan Herring, Coach Larry Compton, Coach Vern McCarty, Coach Bill Ritter.

Linksmen win third city; look to even better year

Northwest's golf team captured the city crown for the third time in a row with the clubs of such stars as medalist Bill Humphrey, junior, Mark Wofla, junior, and Mike Beckert, Greg Gunther, Mick Dodson, and Ken Stout, sophomores, swinging for them. Coach James Albright termed the 1968 season a "good year" and called it

very successful. Although the golfers did not do as well as expected in the regional, Coach Albright said this was just an "off day for everyone."

With everything going for them, Coach Albright looks to the 1969 season as "our best yet" because he has his first five men back.



Coach Jim Albright proudly displays the city championship trophy won by his team.

Varsity Golf

		NHS
Chatard	8	4
Plainfield	6 1/2	11 1/2
Kennedy	0	10
North Central	6 1/2	5 1/2
Kokomo	5 1/2	4 1/2
Manual	2	10
Brebeuf	5	7
Southport	7 1/2	4 1/2
Broad Ripple	4	8
Greenfield	3	9
Bloomington	400	393
Carmel	3 1/2	14 1/2
Wood	0	12
Shortridge	1/2	11 1/2
Bloomington	Runner-up	
Invit.		
Scecina	6	6
Cathedral	4 1/2	7 1/2
City	Champs	
Washington	0	10
Tech	1	9
Sectional	Second	
Regional	Seventh	
Arlington	6	6
Howe	3 1/2	8 1/2
Attucks	0	12

Season Record 15—5—2



VARSITY GOLF—Steve Brookie, Ken Stout, Rick Strouse, Bill Humphrey, Mark Wofla, Mike Beckert, Mick Dodson, Dave Crawley, Jay Oakes.

Netmen seize city fifth; Bedford, Sidener set pace

For spring 1968, the Northwest tennis team compiled a season record of 7—10. Standing out among the varsity's triumphs were the Speedway Invitational, where they finished third, and the Howe Invitational, where they placed fourth. Their crowning achievement, however, was the fifth place finish in the city tournament. During that tournament, Curt Sidener, junior,

was runner-up in singles. In the fall 1968 state tournament, played at Ben Davis, the team found new talent. The Kersey brothers, Dave, a sophomore, and Kenney, a junior, both from Henderson, Kentucky, played for Northwest. These two, plus more underclassmen talent, will form the nucleus of coach Don Thompson's team for the next year.



VARSITY TENNIS—FRONT ROW: Kenneth Kersey, Dave Kersey, Curt Sidener, Sam Foxworthy, Gary Cosgrove. BACK ROW: Coach Don Thompson, Steve Claer, Tim Olson, Vernon Thompson, Meyer Mevers, Martin Landreth, Bill Guernsey.



Steve Bentford, senior, jumps the net after a victory in a singles match.

Varsity Tennis

	NHS	
Marshall	1	5
Shelbyville	6	0
Howe	5	2
Manual	4	3
Cathedral	7	0
Wood	0	7
Seccina	7	0
Kennedy	0	7
Washington	1	6
Attucks	2	5
Arlington	6	1
Danville	0	7
Tech	3	4
Mooreville	4	3
Speedway	4	3
Broad Ripple	6	1
Shortridge	4	3
Sectional	Fifth	
Speedway Invitational	Third	
Howe Invitational	Fourth	
City Tournament	Fifth	

Season Record 7—10



Junior quarterback John Mitny drops back to try to find a receiver in hopes of throwing a touchdown pass against North Central's Panthers.



Observing the play of his teammates is Gary Poulos, a senior halfback.



VARSITY FOOTBALL—FRONT ROW: Mike Sheril, Ronnie Ragland, John Whitman, Jim Crosetti, Barry Ripley, Bill Larkerbrink, Rick Whitten, Chris Weldon, Brent Junkins, Steve Dotlich, David Downing, Gary Poulos,

Coach Compton. **SECOND ROW:** Danzon Hampton, Gene Reed, Steve Saligoe, Chuck Cox, John Salzer, Harold Jones, Mike Hinderliter, Lee Engledow, John Mitny, Everett Lewis, Coach Stabler. **BACK ROW:** Phil

Potenza, Carl May, Tim Burge, Chuck Beeler, Ronnie Read, Chuck Haberman, Steve Collins, Mike Tillery, Mark Woodson, Danny King, Mike Rinehart, Coach Hamman.

Pioneers highlight grid season with new stadium

Inexperience marked the 1968 Pioneer football fortunes. The varsity team finished the season with a 1—9 record. The season was highlighted by the dedication of the school's new football stadium.

Ben Davis was the opponent in the dedication game. The Pioneers matched the festive mood by leading most of the game, losing in the closing minutes to the rival Giants.

The varsity's lone victory was over Wood's Woodchucks. But the Pioneers faced an ambitious schedule with six of their foes being ranked among the state's top 20 during the season.

The Northwest squad was an in-

experienced one with only 10 of the 22 starting offensive and defensive positions being filled by seniors. Underclassmen gained valuable experience in filling the spots on coach Bruce Hamman's squad.

The Pioneers opened the grid-iron campaign with a 20—0 loss to Broad Ripple's Rockets. The Space Pioneers then proceeded to lose four more in a row, matching the school's longest losing streak in its six-year history.

The Pioneer reserve squad posted a 2—7 record. Their victories were over Chatard and Southport.

Varsity Football

		NHS
Broad Ripple	20	0
Shortridge	27	7
Arlington	21	13
Chatard	41	6
Southport	9	0
Wood	0	14
Howe	7	0
Washington	34	6
Ben Davis	18	13
North Central	28	7

Season Record: 1—9

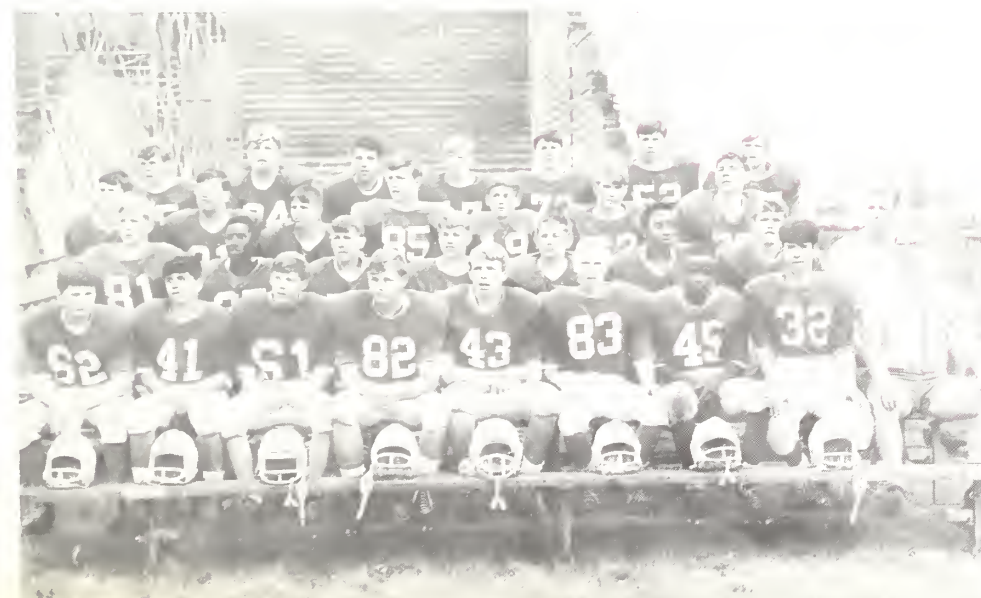
Reserve Football

		NHS
Broad Ripple	6	0
Shortridge	20	0
Arlington	24	0
Chatard	6	7
Southport	13	14
Wood Forfeit	0	2
Howe	26	6
Washington	33	0
Ben Davis	35	0

Season Record: 2—7



RESERVE FOOTBALL—FRONT ROW: Mike Leamon, John Chastain, David Crozier, Dick Whitesell, Steve Gudry, Wayne Burge, Scott McCluckie. SECOND ROW: Rick Crawford, Fred Crosely, Paul Feltner, Carnie Vann, Scott Rosenberger, Greg Scudder, Richard Cramer. BACK ROW: Steve Hodges, Bob Richards, Mike Nicholson, Lynn Snyder, Dan Webster, Coach Stabler.



FRESHMAN FOOTBALL—Tim Case, Jim Shuster, Gary Mandabach, Sam Dotlich, Mark Larrison, Jon Slaughterback, Charles Rose, Jim Dimitroff, Coach Schmink. SECOND ROW: Greg Byard, Harry Smith, Danny Wyatt, Joey Turns, Dan Doty, Mike Kimbrough, Gary Weir, Coach Cummings. THIRD ROW: Matt Berry, Kevin Ball, Tom Kinley, Tim Johnson, Rick Pruitt, Steve Gano, James Fowler. BACK ROW: John Case, Tom Case, Greg Shires, Rex Ikemire, Bill Knight, Vance Stratton, Steve Cass.

Harriers continue winning ways with young runners

A winning season is getting to be a tradition with Coach Vern McCarthy's cross-country team. The 1968 season was a clean sweep on all levels. The varsity record was an unprecedented 10—0. The reserve's record of 6—0—1 was marred only by a tie with Speedway. Lastly, the freshmen battled to a 3—1 record placing second in the city.

Junior Bill Hicks paced the varsity team as he lead Northwest to a second in the city, a third in the sectional, and a seventh in the regional. Hicks himself was city champion.

At the reserve level, the second string also took a second in the city. Tom Mahler and Ron Selby paced the team and are expected to shine on the 1969 varsity team.



Hard-working runners like senior Dan Ransdell made possible Coach McCarty's victorious season.



Varsity Cross-Country—FRONT ROW: Dan Ransdell, Tom Miller, Gene Walden, Neil Gobel. BACK ROW: Coach McCarty, Frank McMahon, Bill Hicks, Jeff King, Joe Christy.



Reserve Cross-Country—FRONT ROW: Bruce Kendall, Ron Selby, Tom Mahler. BACK ROW: Coach McCarty, Mike Kirkman, Larry Kimbrough, Mike Cherry, Coach Sachs.



FRESHMAN CROSS-COUNTRY—FRONT ROW: Ed Bornstein, Lyle Geddes, Jim Selby, Rick Commeville, Tim Hintz, Jerry Hoover. SECOND ROW: Coach Vernon McCarty, Tim Miller, Rick Knight, Fred Taylor, Steve Wilbur, Murray Davis, Coach Steve Sachs.

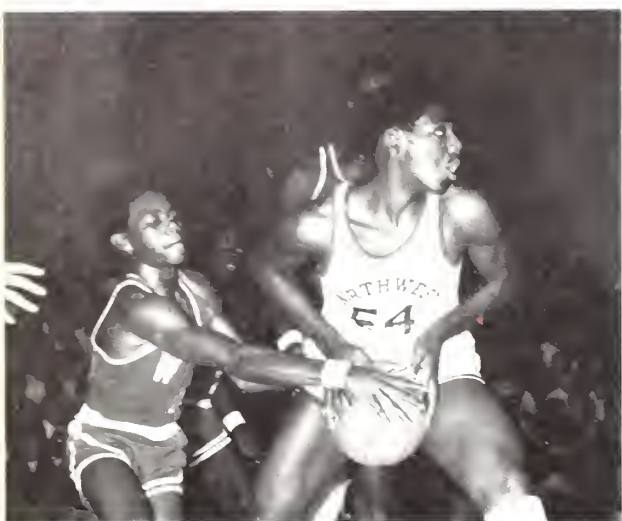


The stamina needed to win long-distance runs is evidenced by strong-running senior Joe Christy.



City champion Bill Hicks, junior, accepts some constructive criticism from assistant coach Mr. Steve Sachs.

Varsity Cross-Country			
			NHS
Howe	45		17
Chartrand	46		16
Washington & Arlington			
	54	42	18
Speedway	42		19
Chatard	47		16
Manual	46		15
Tech	29		28
Plainfield	50		15
Marshall	43		16
Broad Ripple	42		15
Season Record 10—0			
Reserve Cross-Country			
Howe	38		21
Chartrand	50		15
Washington & Arlington			
	54	42	32
Speedway	28		28
Manual	28		27
Tech	40		21
Broad Ripple	47		16
Season Record 6—0—1			
Freshman Cross-Country			
Washington & Arlington			
	44	59	25
Manual	18		37
Tech	32		25
Westlane	37		26
Season Record 3—1			



Sophomore Louie Burns fights to keep the ball from a tough Washington team. The Pioneers lost 91-48.

Individual improvement aids varsity net season

One word could have described the 1969 basketball season—improvement. The 9-13 season began with high hopes and, although the tough teams were played early in the season, these hopes were fulfilled.

Two underclassmen formed the nucleus of the team. Louis Burns and Mendel Smith were responsi-

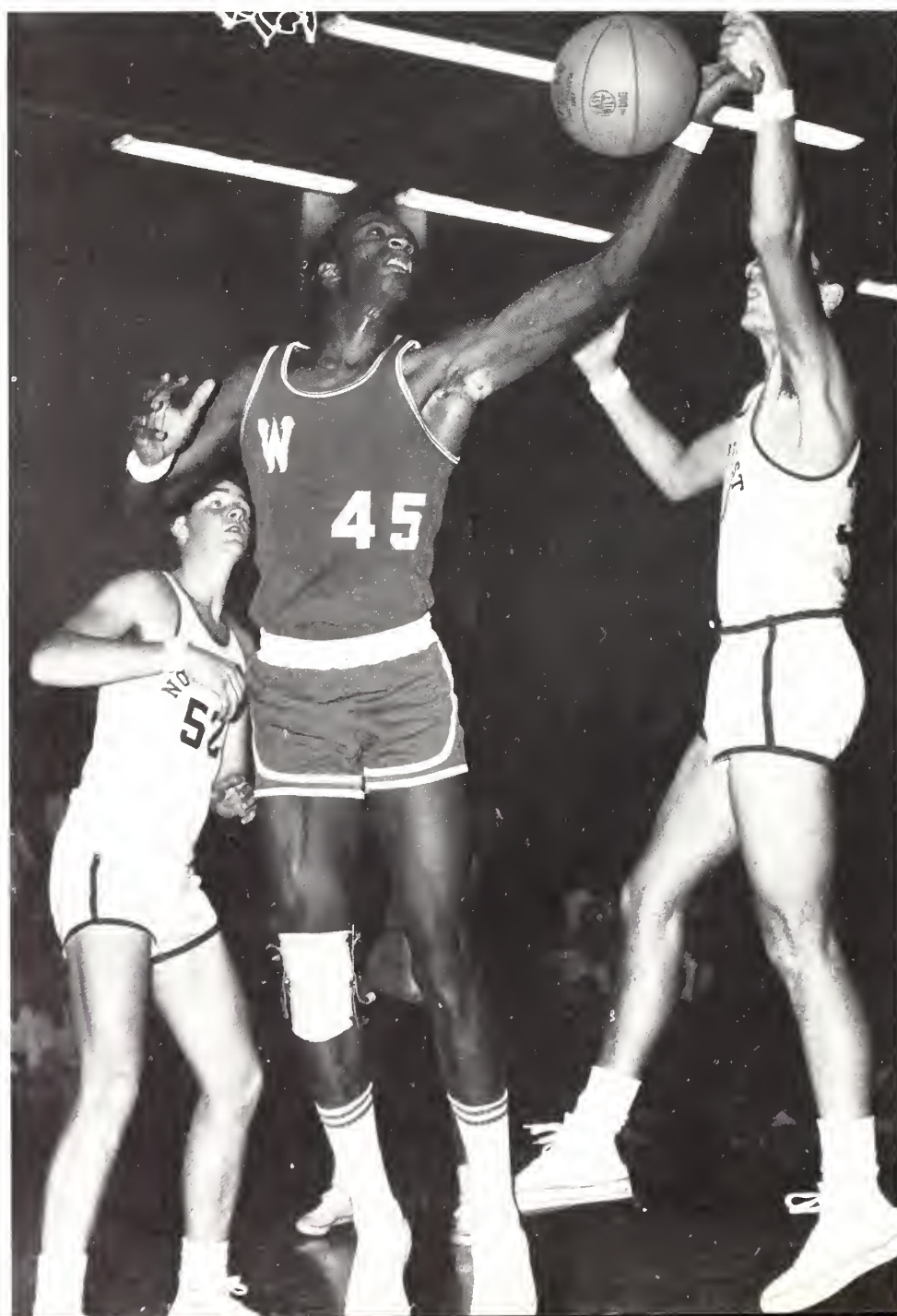
ble for more than one victory. Illness plagued the Pioneers. Dave McClellen and Ted Young were hindered. As the season progressed, the senior players declined as the newer players improved. For next season, Coach Bill Ritter predicted that "if the boys give a good summer effort, we should be one of the toughest teams in the area."

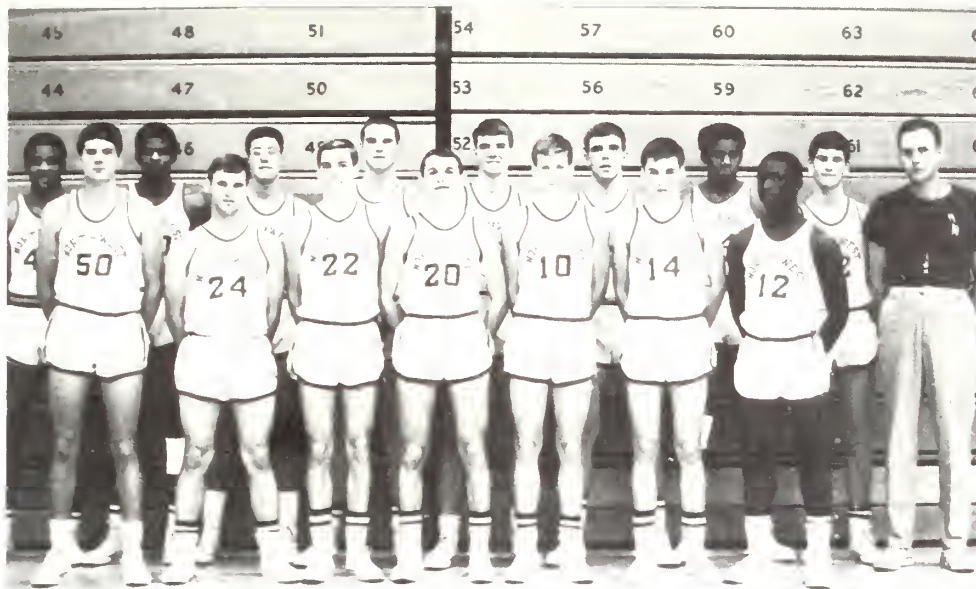
Varsity Basketball

		NHS
Manual	67	66
Attucks	92	39
Zionsville	71	61
Washington	91	48
Broad Ripple	57	69
Lebanon	55	59
Beech Grove	53	61
Arlington	49	63
Decatur Central	86	79
City Tourney		
Attucks	90	61
Broad Ripple	62	51
Wood	35	65
Carmel	79	71
Howe	64	60
Chatard	74	56
Ben Davis	63	60
Southport	74	72
North Central	58	63
Pike	63	67
Plainfield	72	73
Sectional		
Seccina	72	87
Howe	80	62

Season Record 9-13

Junior Ken Stout attempts to keep Washington's Big George McGinnis from scoring during the game with Washington. Senior Dave McClellen awaits the ball.





VARSITY BASKETBALL—FRONT ROW: Bill Humphrey, Mickey Dodson, Bill Hicks, Mike Crouch, Allan Swartz, Mendel Smith and Marvin Wiggs; BACK ROW: Ted Young, Herman Bradley, Ken Stout, Dave McClellan, Max Nieman, Mike Larrison, Louis Burns, Don Beuke and Coach J. W. Ritter.



A team-up of juniors Mike Larrison and Ted Young succeeds in relieving an opponent of the ball.



Junior Ken Stout finds a way around his man. Stout led his teammates with his high scoring average.

Reserve Basketball

		NHS
Manual	39	54
Attucks	35	39
Zionsville	38	30
Washington	54	53
Broad Ripple	50	61
Lebanon	50	61
Beech Grove	53	40
Arlington	51	50
Decatur Central	68	74
Marshall	53	50
Wood	29	52
Carmel	42	51
Chatard	58	44
Howe	66	64
Ben Davis	51	45
Southport	37	35
North Central	58	48
Pike	31	49
Plainfield	48	76

Season Record: 9—10



Washington star George McGinnis takes aim on the Continental hoop. His deadly aim paced the Washington team. Northwest team members Louie Burns and Ted Young attempt to block the shot.

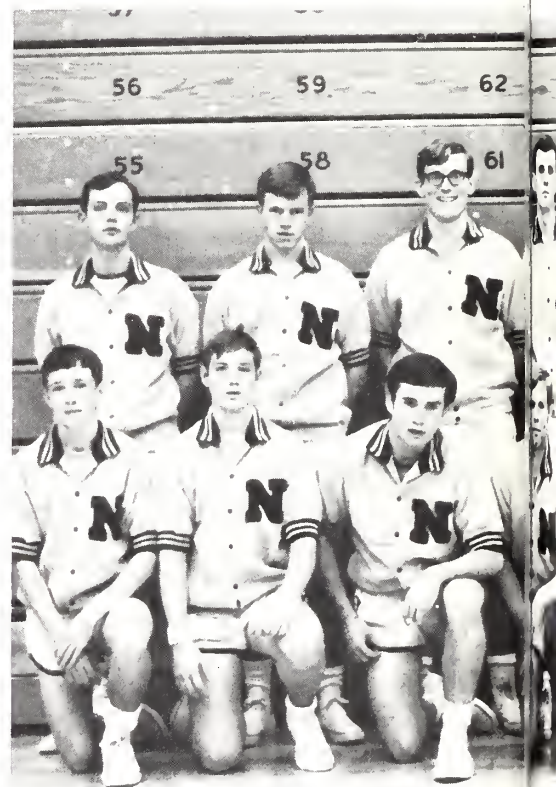


Coach Bill Ritter instructs his charges on the best way to defeat an upcoming foe.

Freshman Basketball

		NHS
Arlington	38	31
Chartrand	35	50
Washington	43	33
Zionsville	39	53
Cathedral	56	39
Shortridge	36	40
Brebeuf	46	48
Pike	40	29
Speedway	35	32
Marshall	31	50
Manual	42	40
Northview	61	49
Ritter	49	57
Howe	43	42
Wood	38	52
Attucks	48	40
Scecina	31	41
Broad Ripple	55	44
Manual	55	35
Marshall	34	38

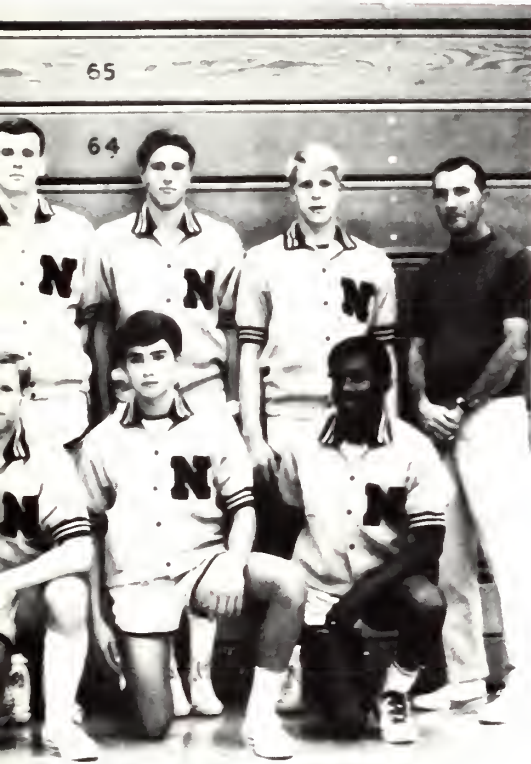
Season Record: 9—11



RESERVE BASKETBALL—FRONT ROW: Mike Kirkman, Mike Bechert, Don Bengé, Mike Hinderliter, David Cassell, Monte Young.



Varsity Pioneer Ted Young, junior, attempts to score late in a game as senior Dave McClellan prepares to help.



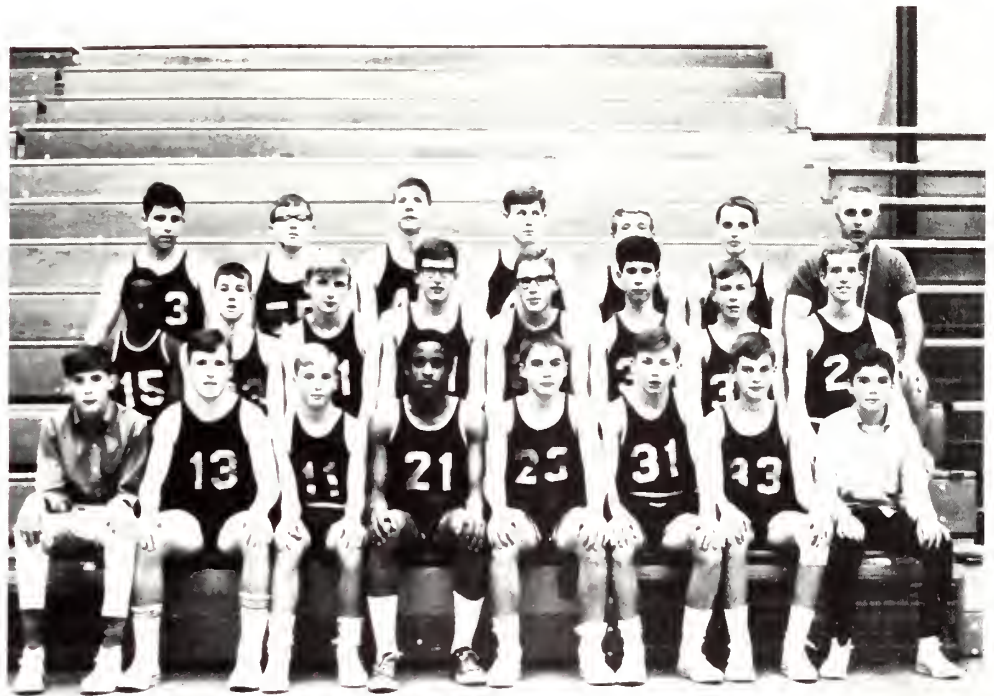
BACK ROW: Lynn Snyder, Mike Tillery, Bill Dunham, Fred Crosly, Emory Schlake, Dale Byard, Coach Don Stone.

Reserve, frosh strive to merit varsity competition

Northwest reserve and freshman basketball teams ended their seasons with nearly identical records of 9—10 and 9—11, respectively. Names such as Bechert, Bengé, Hinderliter, Tillery, and Byard as well as others will begin to appear on varsity rosters next year. The jayvees were

again coached by Mr. Don Stone.

The inexperienced freshmen, under coach Mr. Robert Groomer, made a good city appearance. They defeated their first foe, Marshall, 50—31. They were beaten by Manual, however, in a 42—40 scoring battle.



FRESHMAN BASKETBALL—FRONT ROW: Manager Mike Robinson, Phil Hausman, David Athey, Rodney Smith, Michael Corn, Jim Blair, John Pourctot, Manager William Giebel; SECOND ROW: Charles Rose, Danny Dunbar, Doug Moffitt, Jim Jones, Doug Rice, Jim Dimitroff, Danny Wyatt, Jerry Hoover; BACK ROW: Gregg Shires, David Cody, Jim Fowler, Vance Stratton, Mark Larrison, Larry Jones and Coach R. E. Groomer.

Wrestling coach molds team into city challenger

Wrestling had a new coach and a young, fresh team in 1969. Coach Richard Cummings faced a varsity team with six sophomores on it. However, he guided them to a 6-6-0 record.

Coach Cummings' secret was practice, practice and more practice. His practices were both demanding and time-consuming. He figured 409,013 hours of practice for the varsity and reserve teams by all the boys together. The reserves finished with a 7-5 record. The frosh did even better with an 8-2 season.

Cummings will be losing Steve

Dotlich, 154-pounder who battled to third place in the state wrestling meet. He also set three varsity records during the season—20 take-downs, 6 predicaments and 6 falls.

Other winning seniors who will be departing are John Doll, 133 pounds, and Denny Allison, 120 pounds.

Next year, Cummings hopes to have a stronger dual meet team although he realizes he will have fewer strong individual competitors.

Underclassmen who gained reserve experience are expected to help the team.



Senior Steve Dotlich is the team's outstanding competitor, winning sectional and regional titles.



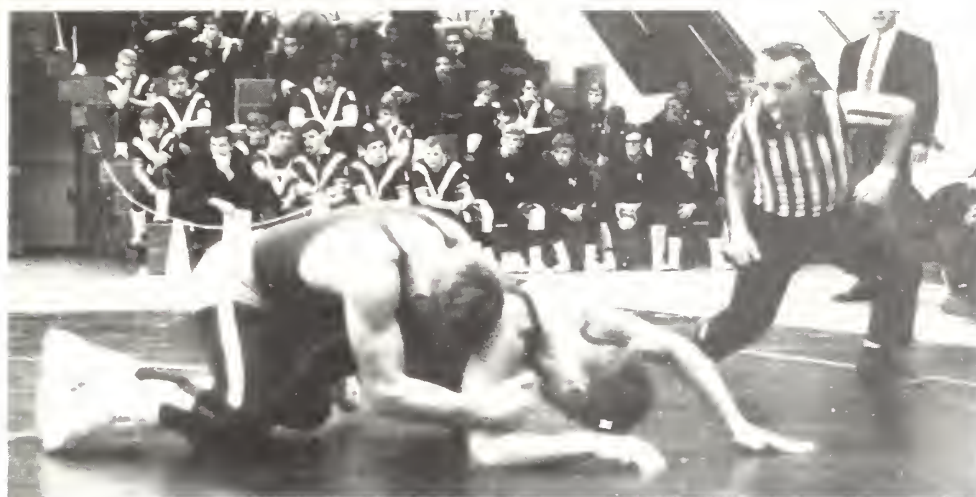
VARSITY WRESTLING TEAM—FRONT ROW: John Doll, Mike Donahoe, Dennis Allison, Phil Pontenza, Bruce Bryant, Tom

Fawcett; BACK ROW: Coach Richard Cummings, Steve Collins, Chuck Cox, Tim Burge,

Steve Dotlich, Terry Boring, Carl May, Coach Ronald Schmink.

Junior Tom Fawcett prepares to escape from his adversary in the 95-pound class competition.





Steve Dotlich attempts to pin his opponent on the way to a victory.

VARSITY WRESTLING

		NHS
Manual	21	22
Attucks	19	24
Howe	23	27
Arlington	28	16
Bloomington	41	3
Cathedral	27	17
Decatur	25	17
Carmel	22	21
Wood	11	38
Washington	24	19
Speedway	15	33
City Tournament	7th place	
Washington Invit.	6th place	
Sectional	3rd place	
Regional	6th place	
Season Record	6 Won 6 Lost	

RESERVE WRESTLING

		NHS
Manual	19	29
Attucks	18	35
Howe	20	40
Arlington	37	10
Bloomington	47	3
Broad Ripple	23	33
Cathedral	30	20
Decatur	40	10
Carmel	41	10
Wood	15	43
Washington	25	31
Speedway	11	39
Season Record	7 Won 5 Lost	

FRESHMAN WRESTLING

		NHS
Washington	22	35
Cathedral	18	38
Carmel	44	22
Ritter	8	42
Shortridge	31	25
Chatard	11	41
Wood	10	41
Arlington	22	30
Washington	6	40
Howe	11	41
Season Record	8 Won 2 Lost	



RESERVE WRESTLING—FRONT ROW: Bob Doll, David Graber, Rick Berry, Dan Scotten, David Keen; BACK ROW: Ron Read, Tim Burge, Doug Jones, Greg Scudder, Carl May and Bruce Wozney.

Not letting their younger counterparts show them up, faculty "cheerleaders" (from top: Gwen Hiett, Leigh Richey, Jan Morgan, Karol Ruby, Judy Voris and Ann Elsner) demonstrate the popular "smash 'em" yell.



Senior Bill Larkerbrink keeps in good physical shape by working out at Hofmeister's Gymnasium.



Catching the wrath of the women faculty team is "referee" Vernon McCarty.

Rex Hedegard drives around a WIFE Good Guy in the annual contest.





Concentrating on a free throw attempt is senior Diane Hanft under the watchful eye of faculty foe Phyllis Carroll.

Many participate in sports outside athletic limelight

Keeping physically fit wasn't confined to the school's athletes in inter-school competition. Everyone took an active interest in fitness.

A highlight of the physical education department's outside activities was the fourth annual WIFE Good Guys game against faculty members. The school's representatives won the battle by one point, 42—41.

The Girls Athletic Association played a role, too. As a part of the

WIFE game, the senior girls challenged women faculty members to a game of basketball. That game ended in a 12—12 tie.

Interest in bowling continued to grow at Northwest. An active Bowling Club sponsored weekly competition for interested members.

Other pupils attacked the physical fitness problem on their own. Many boys kept in trim by working out at private gymnasiums and health clubs in the city.



BOWLING LEAGUE—FRONT ROW: Wayne Fisher, Bruce Ingalls, Phil Lombardo, Don Craig, Sue Cash, Mark Evans, Jerry Harvey, Larry Kutz, Bob Curry, Jim Childers; **SECOND ROW:** Betty Allen, Linda Kellogg, Diane Dubrosky, Birdie Shelton, Vicki

Hendricks, Sherry Norton, Shirley Cash, Kris Hamon, Jean Wallace, Michele Davenport, Gina Cardwell; **THIRD ROW:** Sandra Conners, Elaine Williams, Jane Corbin, Harry Smith, Dave Feid, Paul Hambrick, John

Harvey, Tom Walsh, Doris Williams, Maryann Perkinson; **BACK ROW:** Chris Loggins, Ken Fodrie, Mike Shinn, Wilbur Jackson, Jackie Hayes, Jo Ellen Crays, Leslie Conant, Nina Nalyvaylo and Brenda Barrett.



Faculty women and senior girls battle for a rebound before a technical foul is whistled.



ACTIVITIES...

Activities at Northwest are a means for Pioneers to express themselves as individuals. Those who enjoy chess or checkers express themselves in daily matches. Those who are fascinated by computers spend hours writing programs. Others join the FTA or Red Cross Club to pre-

pare for future careers. Many Pioneers join language clubs, history club, or science club in order to explore further their favorite subject. The wide-range of activities offered at Northwest gives Pioneers an opportunity to explore their individual interests.



Band receives first rating in ISMA marching contest

Entertaining at football games was the major activity of the 117-member Marching Pioneer Band, but most important was the advancement of musical knowledge and appreciation. Directed by Mr. Darrell Horton, the band was one of four from Indiana to give a marching demonstration for the Indiana Bandmasters Association. They presented a halftime show at Butler University, received a first place in the ISMA Marching contest, marched in the Veterans' Day Parade, and presented Christmas and

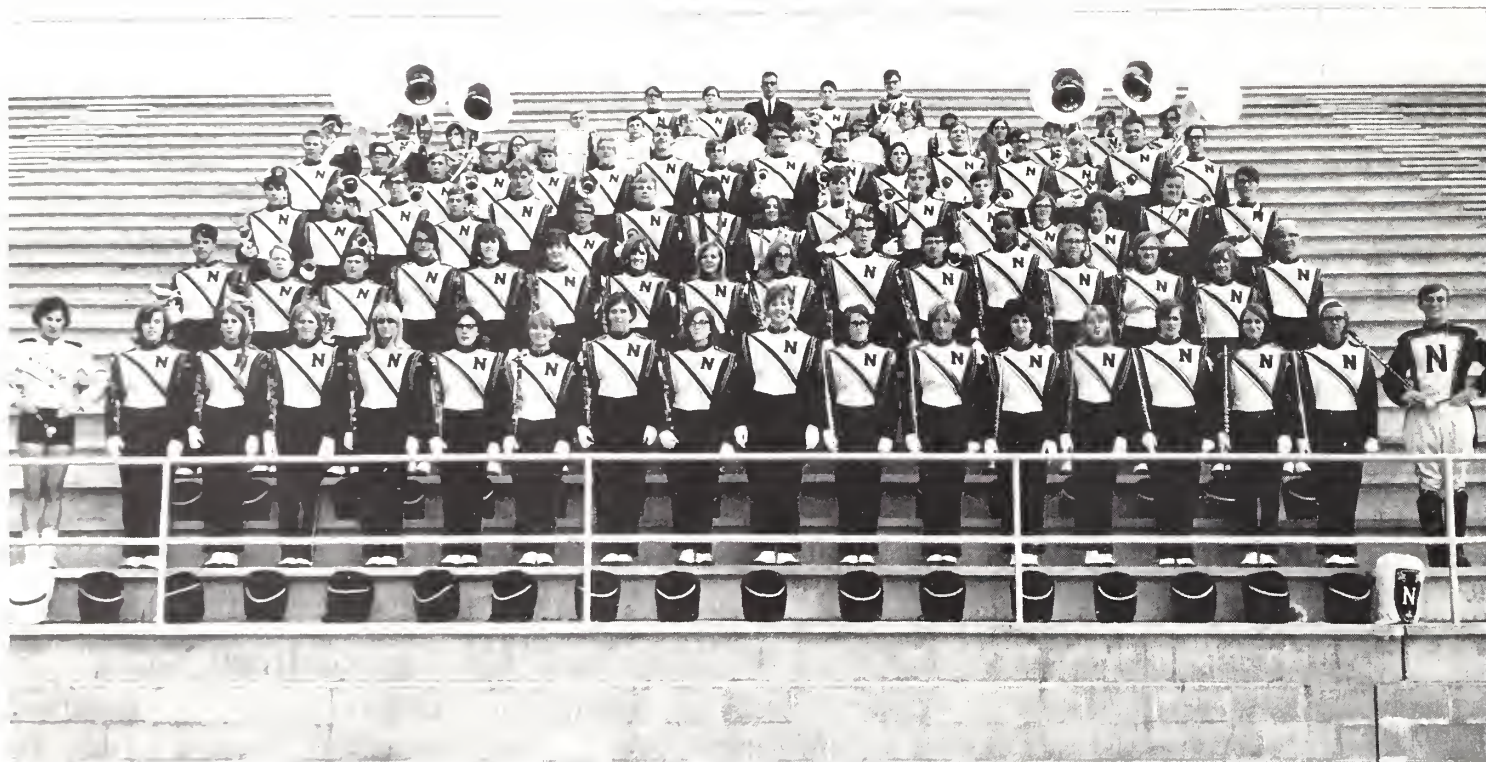
spring concerts.

Eight majorettes and 31 Silverettes, directed by Mrs. Alice Hauss, supplemented the band with eye-catching routines. Dressed in glittering silver and green outfits, two feature twirlers added a new, exciting beat in the tempo of the Marching Pioneers.

Dedicated orchestra members worked to become part of the all-city and all-state orchestras besides winning individual honors in state music competition.



Drum major, Gary Stewart, signals the band to begin the halftime performance.



BAND—FRONT ROW: Nancy Phillips, Debbie Webster, Shirley Wright, Linda Lemmert, Kath. Truan, Patty Shadel, Nickie Huber, Terri O'Bannon, Tina Faught, Janis Farrell, Cath. Hunt, Connie Clawson, Sherri Cockrell, Evelyn Devine, Judy Lane, Marcia Bateman, Marsha Corder, Gary Stewart. **SECOND ROW:** Steve Pickett, Ronnie Cox, Earl Deall, Sandi Worthington, Linda Montgomery, Linda Lawrence, Vicki Farrell, Cindy Bates, Gayle Steorts, Ben Burge, John Orton, Tony

Kendrick, Nancy Nichols, Pam Lackner, Dana Howard, Norm Schoppenhorst. **THIRD ROW:** John Lawson, Tim Olsen, Gary Bush, Kenneth Branan, Rick Brown, Steve Clear, John Doll, Karen McClain, Patti Graham, Greg Dowden, Bob Green, Steve Lammert, Cheryl Richey, Janis Huntley, Paul Parker, Chuck Wentzel. **FOURTH ROW:** Steve Hamilton, Kevin Ball, Gary Cirrincione, Chris Galloway, Dennis Henman, David Skinner, Mike Baker, Phil Wright, Craig Bank, Charles

Hanover, Glenda Heath, Jim Fowler, David Farrell, Curt Sidener, Gary Shaffer, Neil Gobel. **FIFTH ROW:** Dennis Dooley, Mark Curtus, Jeff Smith, Elise Jamison, David Mason, Tom Locke, Don Craig, Linda Love, Garry Pottinger, Jay Cummings, Mike Higgs, Lana Kimbrough, Susan Payne, Richard Pruett, Bob Doll, Gordon Thompson. **BACK ROW:** Mike Cummings, Debbie Glunt, Mr. Darrell Horton, Band Director, Frank Spikes, Phil Lively.

School choral groups extend talents in many directions

Not only students, but community members as well were harmoniously serenaded by Northwest's choral groups.

By purchasing one family ticket, all family members were admitted to four specific concerts to enjoy such talent as the 70-voice strong Concert Choir.

Casually attired, Swing Choir or the "Singin' Pioneers" enthused audiences at the Hobby Show, First Baptist Church, and Holiday Inn with their free-style, "sing-out" numbers. Concert Choir and Swing Choir performed their

first campus concert for Indiana Central College. Candy sales money was used to buy green and white blazers for traveling concert apparel.

Thirteen Belles, dressed in regal emerald formals, coordinated step routines with musical ability to delight supper club audiences at the Masonic Lodge in Nashville, Ind.

Concert Club, a select group of 55 girls, offered programs at elementary schools and joined in the All-City Concert Club Festival.



BELLES—Sandy Sprouse, Helen Clear, Peg DeKruyter, Kathy Threlkeld, Stephanie Darrah, Donna Coston, Rose Gugenheim, Sally Ghere, Mary Huber, Valerie Keglovits, Arleen Bolton, Marcy Miller, Debbie Baron.



Rehearsing before one of their many performances are Kathy Threlkeld, Peg DeKruyter, and Debbie Baron.



CHOIR—FIRST ROW: Sally Ghere, Paula Parker, Wanda Harrington, Valerie Keglovits, Arleen Bolton, Marcy Miller, Sandra Sprouse, Sally Cannon, Helen Clear, Kate Griffin, Debbie Baron, Kathy Ferguson, Penny Christoff, Diana Daniel. SECOND ROW: Peg DeKuyter, Donna Coston, Stephanie Darrah, Marta McFarling, Jenine Howard, Mary Trantham, Debbie Eckert, Becky

Arthur, Demaris Gamble, Kathy Threlkeld, Linda Gauger, Belinda DeSpain, Debbie Webster, Mary Huber, Karen Wilson, Regina Ford, Rose Gugenheim. THIRD ROW: Bill Christoff, Wayne Burge, Tim Campbell, David Stanton, Mike Carrico, Barry Christy, John Hale, Denny Dooley, Steve Deer, Terry Cain, David Gobel, Tom Lamkin, Mike Phil-

lips, James Riggs, David Schuster, Lonny Huber, Phil Vaught, Gary Baron, Neil Gobel. BACK ROW: Joe Christy, Dave Kirk, Caster Wooden, David Brown, Steve Moore, Mike Bechert, Bill Tipps, Paul Hollowell, Steve Giles, Chris Gossett, Paul Johnson, Mike Wright, Tim Johnson, Bob Bradfield, Bob Phillips.

Drummer Dave Mason provides the beat for "The Singin' Pioneers" pop music sound.



Stephanie Boyd sophomore, and Linda Gauger, sophomore, practice in class.





SINGING PIONEERS—Accompanists: Chris Gossett, Barry Christy, Dave Mason. **FIRST ROW:** Tim Johnson, Donna Coston, Lonny Huber, Sandy Sprouse, Bill Tipps, Helen Clear, Dave Brown. **SECOND ROW:** Dave Schuster, Rose Gugenheim, Jim Riggs, Belinda Despain, Steve Moore, Marci Miller, Joe Christy. **BACK ROW:** Bob Bradfield, Peg Dekrutter, David Kirk, Linda Gauger, Wayne Burge.



The Concert Club performs a popular Christmas hymn at the school's annual holiday program as their gift to the community.



Choral director David Greenlee directs the Concert Choir in practice for an upcoming performance.

Honor leaders encourage service and scholarship

Leadership, scholarship, service, and character summed up a portrayal of 46 National Honor Society students. Creating an enthusiasm for scholarship, stimulating a desire for rendering service, and encouraging character development in Northwest pupils were the goals of NHS.

Donating their own study time, several NHS members tutored classmates during study halls. Ushering for various auditorium programs and sponsoring a post-game dance were two annual activities.

In April, a tapping ceremony marked the first step towards the initiation of new members. Maintaining at least a B-plus average, ranking in the top ten percent of the junior class or fifteen per cent of the senior class, being involved in Northwest activities, and showing good character were minimum requirements for membership.

Officers were Kate Griffin, president; Dean Bennett, vice-president; Karen Slaughterback, secretary, and Dean Kimsey, treasurer.



To provide special help for pupils having trouble in their classes is the job of Honor Society members as shown by senior Jean Ann Mughmaw.



NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY—FRONT ROW: Patricia Wilson, Michelle Arnett, Cynthia Parmarlee, Glenda Beach, Helen Clear, Diane Hanft, Patty Guleff, Sally Chasteen, Suellen Rowls, Ardis Mandabach, Linda Ott, Susan Byrd, Mary Orders, Jim Shearer.

SECOND ROW: Denita Rogers, Melanie Lay, Nancy Huisman, Kate Griffin, Arleen Bolton, Debbie Webster, Karen Slaughterback, Zoe Hash, Suzanne Hunt, Sally Ghare, Paula Parker, Nancy Sullivan, Stephanie Darrah, Becky Pruitt, Cheryl Canner, Dawn

McCreary, Jean Mughmaw. **BACK ROW:** James Goldey, Alan Shirley, Mike Rader, Dean Kimsey, James Hollowell, Paul Gunkel, Dean Bennett, Lloyd Couch, Bill Guernsey, Curt Sidener, Benjamin Burge, Tom Miller, Lonny Huber, Joe Christy, Jerry Smith.

Student council encourages participation in activities

Sponsoring money-raising projects for landscaping and the football stadium, heading clean-up campaigns for cafeteria and school grounds, running and regulating school social affairs, ushering at performances and open houses, furthering school spirit were the results of the combined efforts of some 70 Student Council representatives.

Student Council was also the propelling force behind many after-game dances including homecoming and the holiday Christmas decorations. Student Council tried to interest more Pioneers in school activities, to improve conditions of Northwest, and to promote a healthy student-faculty relationship.



STUDENT COUNCIL CABINET—FRONT ROW: Patty Guleff, Diane Hanft, Paula Parker, Vicky Busby, Sue Maynard, Karen Dolan, Laurie Lang, Debbie Percival. SECOND ROW: Mike Bell, Diane Skinner, John Salzer, Barb Paton, Chuck Cox, Ivory McDonald, Chuck Wentzel.



President Paula Parker presides over the frequent student council meetings.

Vanguard editors adjust to yearbook's new 1969 look

Vanguard 1969 sported a new look inside and out. A cover designed by Sharon Pottgeiser, junior, and contrasting colored paper in the opening section were a part of this new look.

By signing with the American Yearbook Company, Vanguard switched from letterpress to offset printing. This change caused the bulk of the staff's problems. One of the new adjustments included sending entirely completed pages instead of a group of pictures or

copy that went throughout the book.

Under the student direction of Jim Reed and Julie Evans, Vanguard staff sponsored "Vangaurd Varieties," the first all school talent show.

Managing editor Jim Reed handled finance and sales; Larry Battson drew the layout; photo editor Pat Guleff scheduled pictures; and Mary Orders headed copy. Responsible for the entire production was Linda Ott, editor-in-chief of Vanguard 1969.



Proving that you never can tell what might be found in the yearbook storage closet are (front) Sally Chasteen, Linda Ott and Suzie Huber; (back) Mary Orders, Larry Battson, Jim Reed and Patty Guleff, section editors.

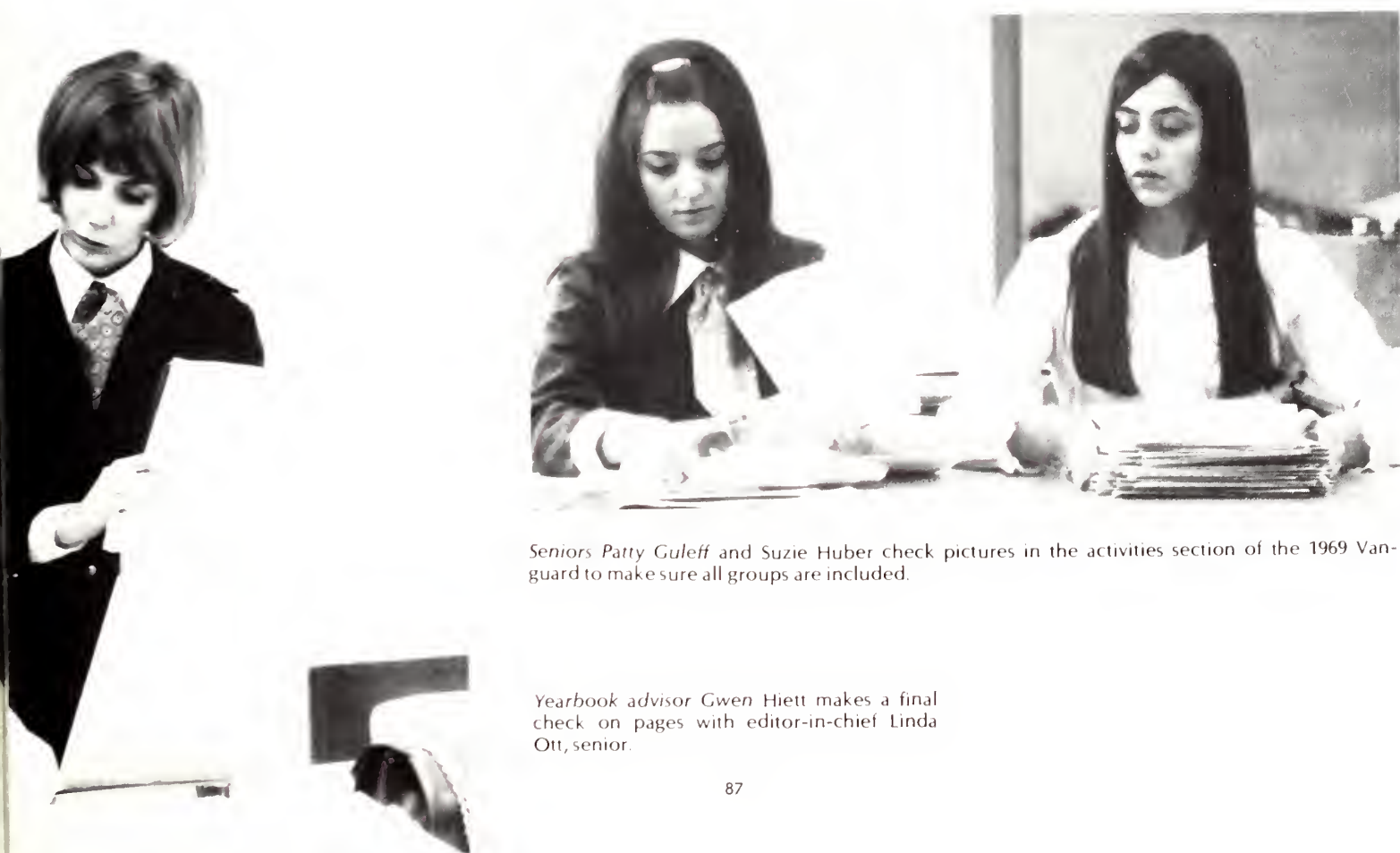


Three staff members, Pat Helvey, Polly Hallagan and Julie Evans, work intently to finish the yearbook student index.





VANGUARD STAFF—*FRONT ROW*: Miss Gwen Hielt, Mary Orders, Pat Contos, Peggy McCauley, Beth Farringer, Suzie Ott, Linda Ott. *SECOND ROW*: Julie Evans, Elaine Hagan, Diane Carter, Polly Hallagan, Sally Chasteen, Patty Guleff, Suzie Huber, Simmie Smiljanic. *THIRD ROW*: Ann Schumacher, Barb Morehous, Terri Barnhart, Georgeann Gunning, Janet Pence, Candy King, Sally Ghere, Sue Faust. *BACK ROW*: Pat Helvey, John Carrier, Larry Battson, Bob Creviston, Bill Gibbons, Jim Reed, Dean Kimsev, Gary Cosgrove, Chris Fallowfield.



Seniors Patty Guleff and Suzie Huber check pictures in the activities section of the 1969 Vanguard to make sure all groups are included.

Yearbook advisor Gwen Hielt makes a final check on pages with editor-in-chief Linda Ott, senior.



TELSTAR STAFF—*FRONT ROW*: Ralphia Green, Jane Zwerner, Donna Shouse, Carole Brent, Sharlene Queen, Lynda Fritz, JoAnn

Watkins: *SECOND ROW*: Tim Campbell, Janet Pence, Carol Stengel, Nora Ratchiff, Steve Giles, Theresa Vidito, Larry Battson;

BACK ROW: Mr. Jim Ray, Becky Pruitt, Bill Gibbons, Bill McKinley, Gene Walden, Jean Ann Mughmaw, Bill Christoff.



NEWS BUREAU—*FRONT ROW*: Gretchen Burkett, Becky Dresser, Penny Christoff, Janet Mobley, Diana Daniel; *BACK ROW*: Mr. Ray, Bill McKinley, Steve Giles, Bill Gibbons.





Telstar editor, senior Jean Ann Mughmaw, types copy for a coming issue of Telstar.

Staff works to keep pupils informed All-American way

Thirty young journalists undertook the vast challenge of informing and entertaining some 2,500 readers through the Telstar, Northwest's bi-weekly newspaper. With a touch for the inquisitive, reporters invaded every corner to find news.

For the first time, Telstar won an All-American rating for the 1968 spring semester. To add to NHS honors, Sharlene Queen was selected secretary of the Indiana High School Publications Association.

News Bureau staff prepared copy

about NHS and its pupils for publication in city and suburban newspapers.

Fifteen journalists aspired to the NHS chapter of Quill and Scroll, which recognizes meritorious service and achievements in student publications. To be eligible, a student had to be at least a junior with two semesters in publications and maintain a B average. Besides the spring publications banquet, Quill and Scroll also sponsored convention and workshop trips.



Staff members, Carole Brent and Ralphia Green confer with advisor, Mr. James Ray.



QUILL AND SCROLL—FRONT ROW: Linda Ott, Mary Orders, Donna Shouse, Penny Christoff. SECOND ROW: Sally Ghare, Patty Guleff, Simmie Smiljanic, Sally Chasteen, Diana Daniel. BACK ROW: Mr. Ray, Becky Pruitt, Jim Reed, Jean Ann Mughmaw, Dean Kimsey.

Outstanding dramatists gain National Thespian status



Just one of the many jobs of junior Mike Bennett, stage director, is operating the spotlight during performances.

Who could replace the Bogarts, the Gables, the Garbos of yesteryear? Perhaps Northwest's Thespian Troupe 2625 had the answers all along. To become a member of the National Thespian Society, a student must earn ten Thespian points. He may appear on stage, work after school on scenery, or work on costume, make-up, props, or publicity committees.

Working together, some 30 Thespians taught Pioneer Players "the ropes" of costuming, make-up, and publicity. Any student interested in dramatics could join Pioneer Players; often his joining motivated his desire to become a Thespian.

A group of Thespians attended the film biography, "Funny Girl." Some experienced another branch of drama by directing one-act plays. For the first time, these plays were presented after school.

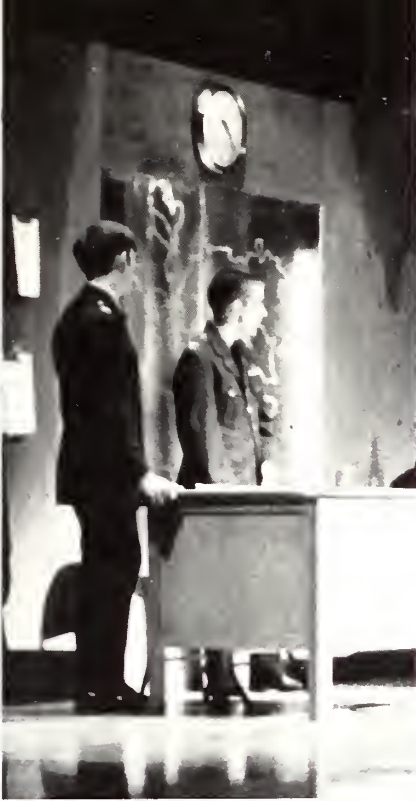
Thespian officers were Lonny Huber, president; Gary Stewart, vice-president; Sandy Sprouse, secretary; and Arleen Bolton, clerk.



Lonny Huber, senior, pauses dramatically after hearing that an atom bomb has exploded in the production of the "Alas Babylon."



THESPIANS—FRONT ROW: Mary Orders, Elise Jamison, Sandra Sprouse, Sue Byrd, Kathy Threlkeld, Rose Moore, Sally Ghare; SECOND ROW: Arleen Bolton, Patrice Heiken, Marsha Corder, Becky Pruitt, Jenine Howard, Becky Mathews; THIRD ROW: Paula Parker, Joe Neuman, George Bowen, Lonny Huber, Gordon Thompson, Mike Bennett, Gary Stewart; BACK ROW: John Carrier, Terry Ashcraft, Steve Hamilton, David Schuster, James Riggs, Mike Stafford, Jim Cox.



Caught up in the crisis of "Alas Babylon" are John Carrier and John Hale, playing the role of Air Force officers.



Sandra Sprouse, senior, as Maria in "The Sound Of Music" practices a production number with her stage children during rehearsal.



PIONEER PLAYERS—**FRONT ROW:** Hubert Fryman, Jed Jamison, Connie Mattheis, Mary Orders, Julie Short, Deedee Erickson, Sandy Sprouse, Elise Jamison, Sue Byrd, Valerie Miller, Paul Wallace, Suzanne Mormance, Brenda Denton, Stacie Loncar, Helen Clear, Penny Christoff, Scott Warren, John Hale; **SECOND ROW:** Pam Dabner, Rossana Massey, Mary Huber, Chris Harman, Carol Sen-

ter, Sheila Newman, Pat Green, Arleen Bolton, Kathy Threlkeld, Jenine Howard, Carol Stengel, Pat Helvey, Kate Osbourne, Rose Gugenheim; **THIRD ROW:** Theresa Nichols, John Stanton, Gordan Thompson, Denny Dooley, Marva Edmonds, Dot Green, Eddie Koehl, Patrice Heiken, Becky Pruitt, Becky Mathews, Rose Moore, Sally Ghare, Larry Corbin; **FOURTH ROW:** Chuck Went-

zel, Paula Parker, Lonny Huber, Mike Bennett, Gary Stewart, Polly Hallagan, Marsha Corder, Mike Stafford, Joe Neuman, Gina Ford, Theresa Neuman; **BACK ROW:** Fred Taylor, Steve Hamilton, Rick Oprisu, Craig Bonk, Bill Christoff, Dave Schuster, Rick Wilson, John Carrier, Jim Riggs, George Bowen, Jim Cox and Terry Ashcraft.



Senior physics student, Jerold Smith, "tink-ers" with the oscilloscope.

Science Club gives chance to explore and investigate

Thirty scientifically inclined Pioneers found field trips, guest speakers, movies, and lectures all provided by Science Club. Not only did members gain more knowledge of science, they also learned to observe the application of science in the Northwest community, to give service to that community, and to devote time to individual science projects.

Field trips included visits to dental laboratories at the I.U. Medical Center, Allison's Powerama, State Police Crime Laboratory, Butler Observatory, and a trip to Sullivan Cave.

Dr. Ray Oshiro of the I.U. School of Dentistry and a doctor from the

Purdue Psychology Department guest-lectured at club meetings. Science Club itself sponsored a lecture at the Children's Museum March 1. Freshman Jim Wetzel, who won a \$100 grant from the Marion County Heart Association with his project on sun spots, presented the lecture on "Solar Analysis."

Two movies, "Air Pollution" and "Scientific Method for Experiments" informed and entertained club members.

Several dedicated young scientists entered science projects in the three-day Science Fair. Projects were classified as physical science, biological, or chemistry in type.



SCIENCE CLUB—FRONT ROW: Paula Benford, Jane Zwerner, Nancy Larson, Gail Baker, Cynthia Hart, John Eck, Suzy Dyke, Greg King. SECOND ROW: Richard Lyle,

Rex Allen Spikes, Doug Crawford, Chuck Coats, Kenny Freeman, Karen McClain, Ronald Cox, Jim Wetzel, Donald Doty. BACK ROW: Mr. Stan Irwin, sponsor, Charles Fox,

Bill Gibbons, Charles Hanover, Dennis Adams, George Mathers, Mike Linville, Ed Koehl, Jerry Smith, Mr. Milt Knopfmeier, sponsor.

Studying past gives club world of knowledge

Historically intrigued—from the dying culture of an age-old civilization to the hopes and fears of a young, struggling republic—15 Pioneers researched, debated, and reviewed historical and cultural movements, past and present. To better understand the various peoples and cultures of the world, members placed many field trips and guest speakers on their History Club agenda.

Through trips to Conner Prairie Farms, the new downtown State Museum, World War II Memorial,

Benjamin Harrison Home, and John Herron Art Museum, members witnessed not only visible ancient relics, but learned the silent stories behind them—the intangible “heritage” of civilizations long past.

Mrs. Ruth Colon, language teacher, visited the club to speak on Puerto Rico’s history and social developments. Other activities included a slide presentation of Sweden and exchange discussions with club presidents from three other high schools to merge ideas on club policies and projects.



Lee Horner, president of the History Club, points out an area of the world under discussion.



HISTORY CLUB—FRONT ROW: Diane Wolf, Dana Hancock, Kathy Thompson, Susie Summers, Theta Brannon. **SECOND ROW:** Laura Wolf, Cheryl Standaferd, Belinda Despain, Melany Lay, Donna Loffland. **BACK ROW:** Thom Mormance, Lee Horner, Jim Cox, Rick Wilson, Chuck Coats, Mr. Jerry Hankins, Sponsor.



Ellen Amon, Tom Mormance and Lee Horner examine the land altitudes of the Far East on the globe.

Putting the point across is vital to speech enthusiasts

Clear, expressive communication, vital to any person's success, was stressed in preparing 25 Pioneers for speech competition. The Speech Club, encouraging pupils interested in better speaking communication, entered speech toursneys at Warren Central, Ben Davis, Washington and Speedway High Schools. The club also entered the speech sectionals.

Seven Pioneers mastered clearness, expressiveness, voice pitch and hand gestures to bring 11 rib-

bons home to Northwest.

Several members won top honors in the contests. Jim Cox was awarded first in impromptu speaking and Paula Parker first in poetry interpretation. Pat Parrish was fourth and fifth in impromptu speaking; Richard Meetz third, fourth and fifth in discussion; Janet Constable second and fourth in poetry interpretation; Mary Huber fifth in dramatic interpretations, and Risa Powell fourth in poetry interpretations.



DEBATE CLUB—*FRONT ROW*: Jed Jamison, Richard Meetz, *SECOND ROW*: Greg Pak, Katharine Wheeler, Theda Brannon; *BACK ROW*: Robert Perkins, Gary Sauer, Patrick Parrish, Jim Cox.



Paula Parker, senior, practices for the state speech contest under the watchful eye of her instructor, Mrs. Ann Elsner.



SPEECH CLUB—*FRONT ROW*: Richard Meetz, Jackie Browning, Vickie Hunter. *SECOND ROW*: John Hale, Rose Moore, Roseanna Massey, Kathy Wheeler, Theda Brannon. *THIRD ROW*: Ruth Wilson, Paula Parker, Jim Cox, Mary Huber, Mrs. Elsner.



Dancing to Spanish music are Mrs. Ruth Colon, club sponsor, and her pupils, who share an interest in foreign culture.

Cultures, customs of other lands study of four clubs

Any number of languages could be heard just by walking through the foreign language department after school. Four clubs were organized to acquaint students with the culture of French, German, and Spanish people and studies of the Romans. Clubs used songs, dances, skits, games, and guest speakers—teaching media not available during class time—to help young linguists learn more outside the classroom.

French Club visited the John Heron exhibit of French sculpture. German Club, the newest at North-

west, had slide presentations and projects to promote German and its interest among students. While Latin Club members feasted at an authentic, traditional Roman Banquet, Spanish Club members attended a performance of "Man From La Mancha" and "Ciro and His Flamenco Dancers" at Clowes Hall. In April, a "Day of the Americas" was sponsored by the Spanish Club. Guest speakers included travelers to and natives from Spanish-speaking countries.



SPANISH CLUB—FRONT ROW: Richard Lile, Nina Nalyvayko, Laura Powell, Brenda Denton, Dianna Taylor, Udo Effenberger. SECOND ROW: Mrs. Ruth Colon, Janet

Constable, Kathy Leamon, Karen Poole, Denise McKinster, Doug Crawford. THIRD ROW: George Kazacoff, Belinda De Spain, Wendi Pierson, Sherry Norton, Candy

Moots, Doris Williams, Kathy Grider, Gordon Thompson. BACK ROW: Tim Cassidy, Teresa Winter, Lee Horner, Tom Moit, Mike Baker, Charles Hanover, Mike Herkless.



GERMAN CLUB—FRONT ROW: Cynthia Johnson, Jane Zwerner, Kathy Thompson. SECOND ROW: Mr. Richard Buchanan, Chuck Coats, Pam Lackner, Tim Hamer, Don Dotz. BACK ROW: John Platadis, Rick Schmitt, Don Gagen, Jeff Whitten, Jim Cox, George Bowen.



Mrs. Ruth Nelson, French Club advisor, assists Debbie DeWees in a vocabulary-building exercise.



John Platadis, sophomore, and Jane Zwerner, junior, test their knowledge of the German Language.



FRENCH CLUB—FRONT ROW: Robin Downing, Sharon Smith, Debbie DeWeese, Debbie Caudell, Deanna Shearer, Marsha Bernhart. SECOND ROW: Vicki Hunter,

Diane Holmes, Cathy Sidner, Nicki Huber, Debbie Pranger, Kathy Thompson, Laura Pryor, Barbara Taylor. BACK ROW: Cheryl Standefer, Carol Senter, Mary Huber, Ro-

sanna Massey, John Hale, Steve Deer, Pat Parrish, Mrs. Nelson, sponsor.



LATIN CLUB—FRONT ROW: Nancy Larson, Lynn Burnicle, Mary Ann Potenza, Lois McDonald, Stephanie Bastin; SECOND ROW: Virginia Howard; BACK ROW: Mrs. Virginia Hurt, Jo Ann Watkins, Barry McDonald, Robert Wolter, Michael Teague, James Riggs.

Pupils show interest in helping, teaching others

To taste the satisfaction of giving of themselves to help others, 70 Red Cross Club members constructed such articles as diapers, baby blankets, doll clothes, and Christmas stockings for the sick and needy. Other projects included a Chit Chat Party for an Indiana Girls' School cottage, a party for the Children's Guardian Home, friendship boxes for children in foreign countries, and a disaster program.

Health Careers Club sponsored the Christmas Toy Shop for the mentally ill. A speaker from Health Careers Incorporated highlighted

club meetings, and a visit to Christamore Center, one of the Public Health Stations in Indianapolis, gave members an eyewitness view of the many professions open in the field of health.

Members of the FTA prepared for a future career by striving to uphold the FTA pledge of "physical vitality, mental vigor, moral discrimination, and knowledge and leadership qualities for all teachers." Through panel discussions, films, and speakers, members learned about the responsibilities and opportunities for teachers.



Roxanne Williamson, sophomore, and Roberta Anderson, junior, work together on a Red Cross Christmas project.



HEALTH CAREERS CLUB—FRONT ROW: Stephanie Bastin, Betty Troyer, Karen Godwin, Sandra Smith. **SECOND ROW:** Mrs. Lillian Resnik, Sponsor, Marla Friedman, Vicky Anderson, Debbie White, Marva White.



School Nurse Mrs. Lillian Resnick demonstrates to Stephanie Bastin, Sandra Smith and Marla Friedman how to give a shot to Karen Godwin.



FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA—*FRONT ROW*: Glenda Beech, Linda Thompson, Sandra Hall, Suzi Shearer, Julie Short, Sandy Ray; *SECOND ROW*: Dianne Wolf, Debbie Cawdell, Katherine Thompson, Pam Lackner, Linda Felts, Connie Riggs; *THIRD ROW*: Vivian Jean Snyder, Laura Powell, Debbie Howard, Sue Maynard, Wendy Sheets, Jeffrey Smith, Cynthia Falkerth, Kathie Keeley; *BACK ROW*: Mrs. Loffland, Sheila Newman, Michael Carricoe, George Kazakoff, James Cox, James Riggs, Tim Cassidy.



RED CROSS CLUB—*FRONT ROW*: Linda Hunter, Joann Watkins, Roxanne Williamson, Angela Sandsbury, Debbie Cadell, Debbie Plummer, Dianna Shearer, Jackie Richardson, Margaret Blessing, Cathy Barker, Kay Saylor, Cathy Rice, Linda Burnicle;

SECOND ROW: Demaris Gamble, Wilhelmina French, Brenda Barrett, Chris Renner, Sheila Newman, Judy Evans, Roberta Anderson, Margaret Scoggans, Sandy Rogers, Debbie Hazelwood, Robin Barthel, Suzanne Ham, Karen Deitz, Cynthia Allen;

ROW: Mike Linville, Mildred Jasper, Palma Henry, Karen Peacock, Judy Woolridge, Linda Mays, Bonita White, Aida Jones, Cheryl Jackson, Cindy Rose, Diane Graham, Jean Snyder, Pam Money and Candy Haney.

Club members investigate outlook of business jobs

Business Activities Club took an active look at the many business professions. A program, "A Career That Counts," was presented by a representative of the Victor Better Business Bureau.

For practical knowledge and for a realistic view of an actual working day, club members visited a local business and listened to various guest speakers. Guest speakers from local businesses included representatives from Indiana Bell Telephone, Merle Norman Cos-

metics, and the Data Processing School.

Business Activities set three main goals for its members. Members were to share a common interest in business, to learn more about opportunities presented by business, and to further prepare for business careers. President Sherry Van Zandt, vice-president Karen Dolan, and secretary Dianna Shearer planned business club programs and activities to achieve these three goals for each of the 15 members.



Shirley Stump aids Rob Wolter with the improvement of his typing techniques.



BUSINESS ACTIVITIES CLUB—FIRST ROW: Karen Dolan, Shirley Stone, Deanna Shearer, **SECOND ROW:** Brenda Adams, Kathy Wheeler, Connie Wesley; **BACK ROW:** Christina Bartley, Linda Montgomery, Sherry Van Zandt, Bob Walker.



Karen Dolan, junior, and Deanna Shearer, sophomore, discuss a Business Club bulletin board project.



Bill Gibbons, junior, types information into the computer at Indiana Central Business College.

Math enthusiasts find fun in working with computers

In the age of automation, when an electronic computer can process data in a matter of seconds, the new Computer Math Club reserved a time for young mathematicians to meet, discuss program writing and exchange ideas. Although a computer could do two weeks work in seconds, it could only do what was instructed on the program sheet. Since computer math was one of the most advanced math courses, those interested and

unable to enroll found that the club offered them a chance to learn the basics of program writing.

Club members had programs key-punched and processed weekly in a computer. Through field trips to Indiana Central, some members experienced first-hand the skills of key-punching and computer operation. Visits to other computer laboratories, guest speakers and movies spiced club meetings.



COMPUTER MATH CLUB—FRONT ROW: David Koon, Ray Sprawl, Rude Moore, Bill Miller, Linda Ott, Pam Shields; SECOND ROW: Denny Allison, Jerry Smith, Bob Robinson, Sheila Newman, Suzie Hunt, Wendi Pierson, Jeanne Ballinger, Mr. James Ballinger, Sponsor; BACK ROW: Allan Shirley, Bruce Shelley, James Goldey, Ron Selby, Emory Schlake, Brian Shelley, Bill Gibbons, Paul Gunkel.



Punching cards for a program to be processed by the computer is Linda Ott, senior.

Memorable school events recorded on tape by club

Smile! Candid Camera focuses again! Perhaps Candid Camera, Hollywood style, was not available, but for 15 Audio-Visual Club members, projectors, films, slides, and filmstrips proved to be merely a portion of the growing modern visual aid capacity offered to pupils of Northwest High School.

Under the direction of Mr. Norman Tripp, the new Audio-Visual

Club video-taped the Christmas program, speech club plays, and basketball games. Members even managed to capture on tape the formaldehyde world of biology, from dissections of fetal pigs to observations of microscope conjugation.

Club members and equipment were available any time to video-tape activities upon request.



Mark Evans, Janice Ferrell and John Heffley put away audio-visual equipment after an instructional meeting.



Gene King focuses the lens on the school's movie camera as Dan Smashy and Mike McCormick observe.



AUDIO-VISUAL CLUB—FRONT ROW: Mike McCormick, Carlos Terrell, Harold Bailey, Mark Evans; SECOND ROW: Mark Brown, Paul Johnson, Janis Ferrell, Norman Tripp; BACK ROW: Allen King, Ernest Boram and John Heffly.



Junior George Mathews contemplates his chess opponents' next move.

Concentration necessary to keep check on club mates

From the lowly pawn to the state-ly King, from the sliding rook to the versatile Queen, Chess and Checkers Club members learned the rules and skills of two games involving intelligence, patience, and anticipation.

Thirty Pioneers practiced maneuvering rooks, archbishops, knights, and the valuable Queen, able to move in all directions, to perfect their methods of play. Anticipating their opponents' moves, players de-

signed plans to capture opponents' pieces and, ultimately, check-mate the opposing King.

After trying to double and triple jump each other to capture as many checkers as possible, players battled for victory with kings made of double checkers.

To highlight the year, Chess and Checker Club contestants entered the City Tourney and the State Tournament at North Central High School.



CHESS AND CHECKERS CLUB—SEATED: Gail Baker, George Mathews, Richard Lile, Dennis Adams. STANDING: Charlice Suttice, Mr. Burkhalter, Sponsor, James Hudson, Alvin Query, Stanton Bluett, Eduardo Baez, David Eibe, Jerry Preston, Kenny Balough, Dennis Eckert,

Mike Cooper, Wilbur Jackson, Ralph Kirk, Ken Freeman, Floyd Wright, John Heffley, Steve Price, Greg Hale, Eddie Trush, Charles Fox, Cloyce Thrush, Richard Green.



ALBUM...

The individuals composing Northwest are many different things. They are teachers and they are pupils. They are seniors, juniors, sophomores, and freshmen. They are football players and they are debaters. They are class leaders

and they are classmates. They are sweethearts and they are friends. But most important each individual at Northwest is someone and will always be remembered as someone who was fun to be with, to talk to, and to work with.



Administration, faculty join for better education

Keeping a 2,500 plus education center running smoothly, an immense job, was handled by the administrative staff. Headed by principal Kenneth M. Smartz, the staff was composed of Mr. George N. Gale, vice-principal in charge of building and finances; Mr. Harold M. Crawford, vice-principal in charge of teachers and personnel; Mr. Richard Cummins, guidance director and senior counselor; and Mrs. Constance Zimlich and Mr. Paul Heaton, deans.

Certified teachers at Northwest numbered 124; approximately eighty per cent of them had mas-

ter's degrees. As enrollment increased, 36 new teachers helped balance the student-teacher ratio. The federal government's integration program brought ten of the new 36 as transfers from inner-city schools in exchange for Northwest teachers.

Besides teaching, faculty advised students with social or academic problems. Faculty-sponsored events included the teacher talent show, a faculty picnic in the fall, and a faculty dinner in the spring. Faculty members also frequently chaperoned after school events for NHS pupils.



George Gale, vice principal in charge of building and finance, checks over the weeks events. Purdue University, B.P.E.; Butler University, M.S.Ed.



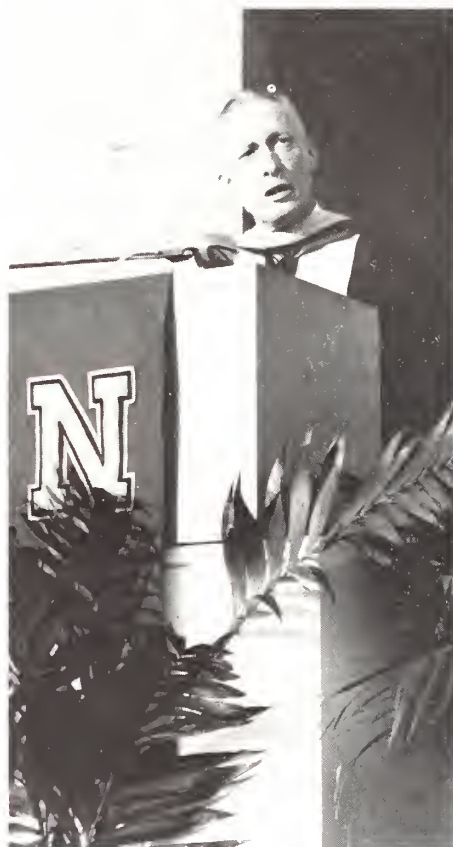
In charge of student programming is vice-principal, Harold M. Crawford. University of California, Los Angeles, A.B.; Butler University, M.S.; Ball State University.



Principal Kenneth M. Smartz pauses while signing one of the many school contracts. Indiana Central College; Indiana University, B.A.; Butler University, M.S.; Ed.S.; University of Colorado.



Dean of Girls, Constance Zimlich, devotes full time to aiding with N.H.S. girls' problems and also sponsors the Student Council. Indiana University; Butler University, B.P.E., B.S., M.S.



Principal Kenneth Smartz points out the responsibilities the graduating Northwest seniors will face.

Guidance director, Richard Cummins, also directs senior homeroom. Franklin College, B.S., Butler University, M.A., Indiana University.



Advising the boys is the job of the Dean of Boys, Paul Heaton. Indiana State University; Ball State University, B.S., M.S.



Albright, James: Science; Hanover College, B.S., Butler University, M.S.; Golf Coach.

Apt, Larry: Counselor; Indiana State University, A.B., Butler University, M.S.

Auterson, Albert: Business Education; Marion College, Indiana State University, A.B.

Bailey, Jacqueline: Science; Purdue University, B.S., M.S., Indiana University; Future Teachers of America Sponsor.

Ballinger, James: Math; Ball State University, B.S., M.A., Fordham; Computer Math Club Sponsor.

Ballock, William: Math; Indiana State University, B.S., M.S.; San Jose State.

Banks, David: French; Kentucky State College, B.A., Indiana University, M.A.T.

Bell, 1 Sgt. Emerson: ROTC; USAF

Berger, James: Industrial Arts; Indiana State University, B.S., M.S.

Bolin, James: Business Education; Oakland City College, B.S., Indiana University.

Bradford, Doris: English; Indiana Central College, A.B., Butler University, M.A., Northwest Passages Sponsor, Senior Class Sponsor.

Brown, Ray: English; Marian College, B.A., Western Illinois University, M.A.

Buchanan, Richard: German, History; Indiana Central College, A.B., Butler University; German Club.

Burkhalter, P. D.: Science; Indiana University, A.B., M.S., University of Chicago; Chess and Checker Club.

Burkle, Dorothy: Art; Indiana University, B.A., B.S.

Burns, Robert: Math, Indiana State University, M.S., B.S.; Exercise In Knowledge Sponsor.

Burton, Arwilda: English; University of Louisville, B.A., Murray State College, M.A.; Northwest Passages Sponsor.

Canner, Robert: Science Department Head; Butler University, B.S., M.S., Colorado State University, M.A.T., Science Seminar.

Carroll, Phyllis: Business Education; Indiana University, B.S., M.S.

Carroll, Treva: Home Economics; Central State University, Wilberforce, B.S.

Casselmann, Phyllis: Library Experience; Central Normal College, B.S., Butler University, M.S.

Clark, Freida: Business Education; Indiana Central College, B.S., Indiana University.

Colon, Ruth: Spanish; DePauw University, A.B., University of Illinois, M.A.; Spanish Club Sponsor.

Combs, John: English; Butler University, B.A., M.A.

Compton, Larry: History; University of Louisville, Indiana University; Varsity Football Coach, Freshman Track Coach.

Cummings, Richard: Driver Education; Indiana Central College, B.S., Indiana State University, M.S.; Assistant Football and Wrestling Coach.

Davis, Peter: Orientation; Indiana Central College, B.S., Butler University, M.S.

Elsner, Anne: English; University of Kentucky, A.B., Indiana University, M.S.; Speech Club.

Erdle, Kenneth: Mathematics; Rose Polytechnic Institute, Indiana State University, B.S.

Fortner, Brenda: English; Indiana University, B.S., M.S.

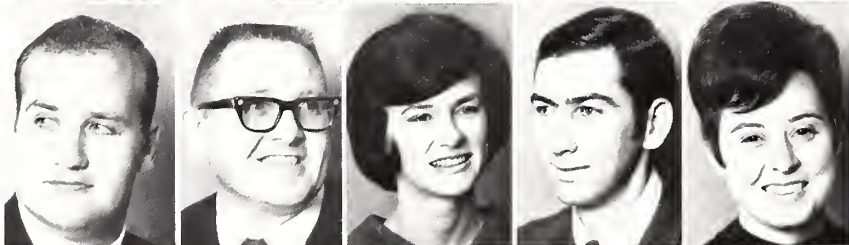
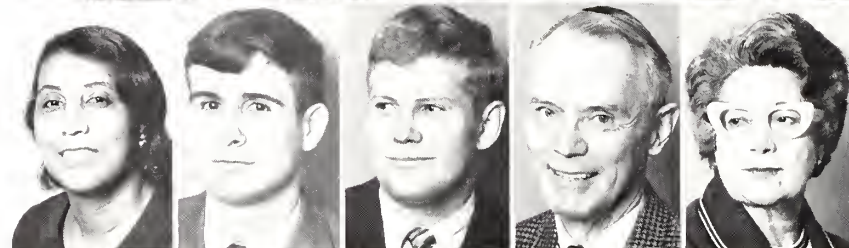
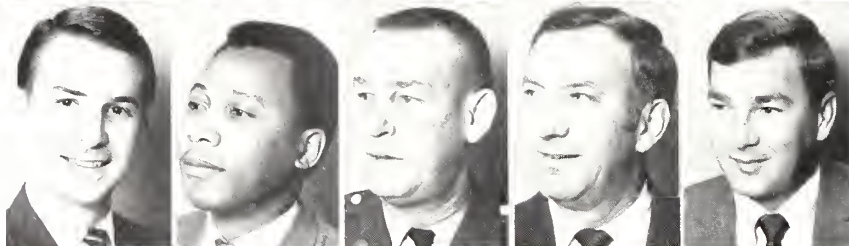
Freed, Dora: Business Education; Indiana State University, B.S., Purdue, M.S.

Goodman, Betty: Business Education; Indiana State University, B.S., M.S., Ball State.

Green, Russell: Industrial Arts; Purdue University, B.S., Indiana University.

Greenlee, David: Music; Ball State University, B.S., M.A.

Groomer, Robert: Art, Driver Education; Indiana State University, B.S., M.S.; Freshman Basketball Coach, Freshman Varsity Baseball.





Moore, Richard: History; Indiana University, B.S., Indiana State University, M.A.
Morgan, Janet: Home Economics; Valparaiso University, Ball State University, B.S.; Red Cross Co-Sponsor.
Nelson, Ruth: French; University of Illinois, B.A., Butler University, M.S.; French Club.
Niles, Betty: English Department Head; Indiana State University, B.S., Indiana University, M.A.
Northcott, Nancy: English; Ball State University, B.A.; Usher Club Sponsor.



Nuttall, Mark: History; Butler University, M.A.T.
O'Brien, Richard: Guidance Counselor; Indiana University, B.S., M.S., Ball State University.
Perkins, Robert: English; Olivet College, B.A., Butler University, M.A.
Ray, James: English, Journalism; Indiana State University, B.S., Butler University, M.S.; Telstar, News Bureau, Quill and Scroll.
Render, John: English, History; St. Joseph's College, Butler University, B.S.



Resnick, Lillian: Nurse; Indiana University, G.N., A.B., M.S.; Future Nurses.
Reynolds, Joseph: Art Department Head; Indiana Central College, B.S., Indiana University, M.S.
Richey, Leigh: Science; Indiana University, A.B., M.A.T.
Richie, Fimie: Foreign Language Department Head, Spanish; Indiana University, A.B., University of Arizona, M.A.
Robinson, Beverly: English; Ball State University, B.S., M.A.



Ruhy, Karol: Music; Indiana State University, B.S., Music Club.
Sachs, Steve: Math; Ball State University, B.S., Purdue; Cross Country, Track.
Saler, William: Math Department Head; University of Nebraska, B.S., Butler University, M.S.
Savich, Yovanka: History; Butler University, B.A., M.A., University of Hawaii; Co-Sponsor National Honor Society.
Schmink, Ronald: Science, Driver Education; Indiana State University, B.S.; Freshman Football Coach.



Bookstore secretary, Rosemary Bonham, oversees students checking lost and found.

Snoemaker, Joan: Home Economics; Eastern Illinois University, B.S.; Butler University, M.S.

Shuck, Gilbert: Industrial Arts, Health; Ball State University, B.S.; Purdue University, M.S.; Indiana University, Ed.D.

Smoot, Arayton: History; St. Louis University, B.S., M.S.; University of Chicago.

Sparks, James: Art; Butler University, B.S.; Indiana University.

Stabler, Jack: Science, Driver Education; Indiana State University, Purdue University, B.S., M.S.; Football Coach, Baseball Coach.

Stone, Don: Science; Butler University, B.S., M.S.; Assistant Basketball Coach, Head Baseball Coach.

Thomas, Patricia: Home Economics; Morehead State University, B.S.; Co-Sponsor Red Cross Club.

Thompson, Don: English; Butler University, B.A.; Indiana University; Tennis Coach.

Thrasher, Cleve: History; Indiana University, A.B., M.S.; Indiana State University.

Treichler, William: Physical Education Department Head; Indiana University, B.S., M.S.

Tripp, Norman: Industrial Arts, Audio Visual Director; Ball State, B.S.; Indiana University, M.S.

Voris, Judith: Physical Education; Butler University, B.S.; Cheerleaders Sponsor, Cheerblock.

Walker, Alonzo: Math; Indiana Central College, B.S., Ball State University.

Walters, Phyllis: English, Stagecraft; Indiana State University, A.B., M.A.; Pioneer Players, National Thespian Society.

Wills, Judith: English; Greenville College, Indiana Central College, B.S.; Northwest Passages.

Woolridge, Lottie: Math; University of Louisville, B.S., Indiana University, M.S.

Young, Phyllis: English; Ball State University, Butler University, B.S., M.S.



Checking Becky Matthews, junior, for Hong Kong flu is Lillian Resnick, school nurse.





CUSTODIAL STAFF—**FRONT ROW:** Henry Morton, Charles Marshall, James Adams, William Gorham, John Stevens, Betty Gregory. **BACK ROW:** Milliard Stephens, John Briscoe, Kevin Blanford, William Clodfelter, William Hargis, Hershel Garrett.



KITCHEN STAFF—**FRONT ROW:** Lenora Overman, Dorothy Hiatt, Dee Ball, Dorothy Mangel, Mary Melton, Betty Bever, Mary Ballinger, Lucille Fields, Emma Fryman, Anita Johnson, Mary Schaidel. **SECOND ROW:**

Freddy Manuel, Edna Paris, Janis Bennett, Lorraine Nettles, Esther Brunson, Irna Cockrell, Marjorie G. Goldey, Pat Gnip, Ethelyn Devine, Marjorie Bader, Mona Nye. **THIRD ROW:** Ida Hitchell, Dixie Jacques, Helen

Dailey, Theresia Heaton, Mabel Judy, Roosevelt McCloud, Joan Fleenor, Helena Carter, Grace Barrett, Roberta Smith, Martha Shaw, manager.



Standing around Mrs. Marian Baughman are Mrs. Elenor McCammack, Mrs. Francis Eberhard, Mrs. Jane Patterson, Mrs. Miriam Brown, Mrs. Rosemary Bonham, Mrs. Vivian Eaton, and Mrs. Elenor Wentzel.

True individuals, seniors prepare for separate ways

"A Time to Remember" signified many things to the graduating seniors of 1969. Their four years at Northwest brought many honors to individuals as well as to the school.

One highlight of their junior year was the prom, "A Summer Place." An ambition of this year's senior class was the completion of the stadium. Although they lost the stadium fund drive contest in 1967, they were the first class to graduate in the NHS stadium.

The senior gift this year was a much-needed ticket booth for the stadium. Selecting the class tree is a tradition at Northwest; the tulip tree was chosen for the class of 1969.

Many memories followed the senior class from the first day of their freshman year until graduation day. New aspects of life are opening up to the graduating seniors, but no member of the class of 1969 will forget his years at Northwest.



Jamboree and Homecoming Queen Diana Skinner is an outstanding member of the senior class at Northwest.

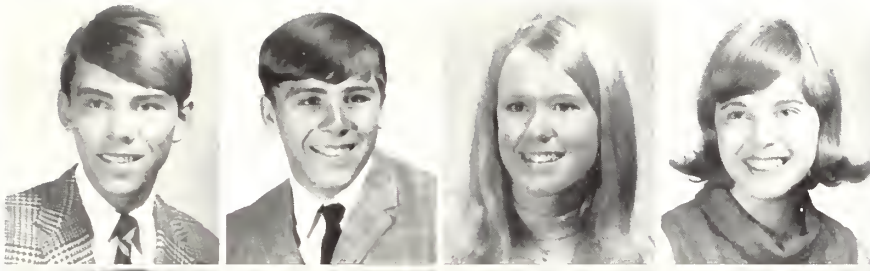


Basking in the applause from their fellow seniors are Diane Hanft and Gary Cosgrove, candidates for stadium king and queen.

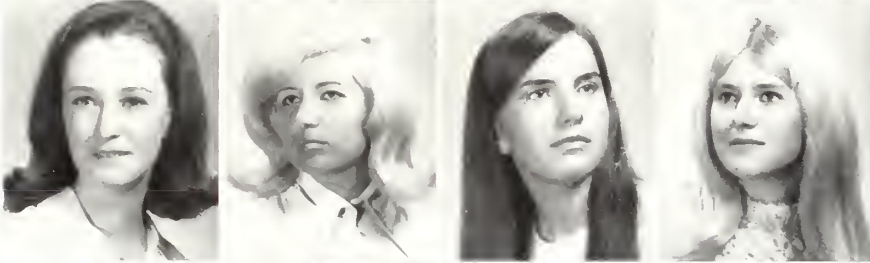


SENIOR STUDENT COUNCIL—FRONT ROW: Elaine Dotlich, Sue Rowles, Sue Maynard, Connie Owens, Laurie Lang; SECOND ROW: Pat Ziegler, Diane Hanft, Anna Sipe, Debbie Percival, Becky Thompson, Patty Guleff, Paula Parker; THIRD ROW: Diana Skinner, Rita Campbell, Suzie Huber, George Bowen, Jim Cox, Mark Nixon and Dave McClellan.

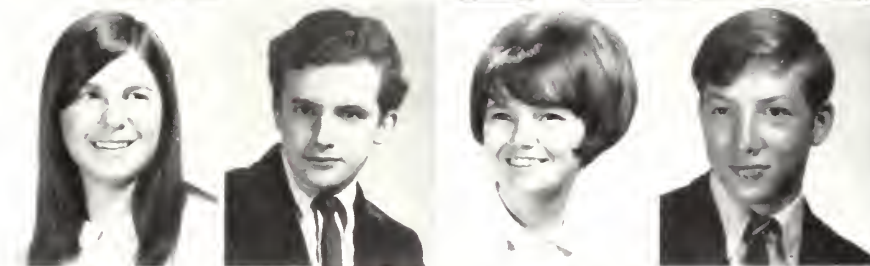
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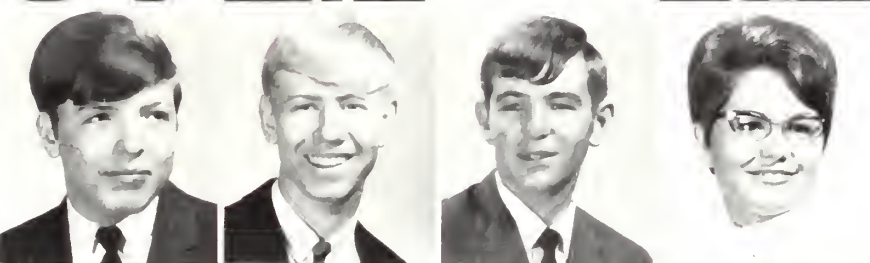
Allen, Ted
Allison, Denny: Reserve Track (1); Varsity Wrestling (1,2,3,4); Letterman's Club
Alsager, Janis: Cheerblock (1); Cheerleading (1,2,3,4); Vanguard (3); Northwest Passages, Production manager (3); Junior Prom Committee (3); Senior Prom Co-Chairman
Amburgey, Linda



Anderson, Karen: Future Nurses Club (1); Cheerblock (1); Pioneer Players (2); Silverettes (2,3)
Anderson, Merri J.: "Music Man" (2); G.A.A. (1)
Arnett, Michelle L.: National Honor Society (3,4); Business Activities Club (3,4)
Arnold, Angie: Danville High School; History Club (4)



Arthur, Becky: G.A.A. (1); Junior Prom Committee (3)
Baez, Edgardo: Bogold, Colombia (1,2); Chess Club (3)
Bailey, Leanna
Baker, Clarence: Cross Country (1,2); Track (1,2); Wrestling (1,2)



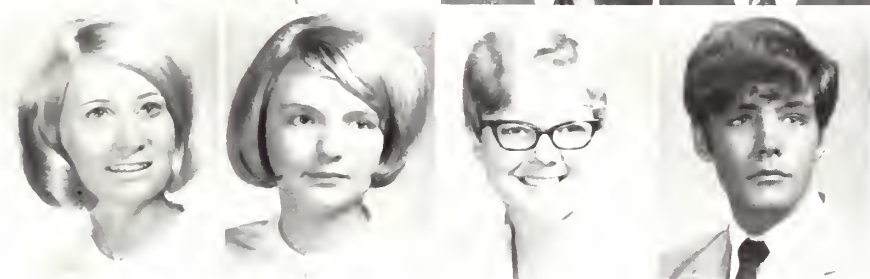
Baker, Tony G.: Wrestling (1)
Baker, William: Football (1)
Baldwin, Rick
Ball, Anetta: Carmel High School



Banks, Charles: R.O.T.C. Drill Team (4)
Barta, David
Bartley, Christina: Business Club (4)
Bauguess, Susan: Bowling Club (1); Cheerblock (1); History Club (2); Silverettes (2,3), Captain (4); Junior Prom Committee (3); "Carnival" (2)



Beach, Glenda: National Honor Society (3,4); Silverettes (2,3), Co-Captain (4); Girls State Alternate; Cub Club (1); "Music Man" (1)
Bell, Cheryle: Concert Club (3); F.T.A. (1); G.A.A. (1,2); Spanish Club (2,3); Cheerblock (1); B. Orchestra (4)
Bennett, Dean: National Honor Society (3,4), Vice-President (4); Freshman Track (1); Reserve Basketball (2); Freshman Football (1); Junior Prom Committee (3)
Bennett, Larry



Bennett, Nancy: Student Council (3); Business Activities Club (2); Junior Prom Committee (3)
Bernhardt, Sharon: F.T.A. (1,2)
Best, Laura: Silverettes (2); "Youth Looks at Literature" (2)
Blair, Charles: Student Council Alternate (1)

Seniors '69

Blair, Pat: Cheerblock (1); Silverettes (2); Junior Prom Committee (3)

Blake, Mary

Bolton, Arleen: National Honor Society (3,4); Thespian (3,4); Choir (2,3,4); Belles (4); Silverettes (2); Majorettes (3,4); Dramatics Club (3,4); "Music Man" (1); "Jenny Kissed Me" (3); "Carnival" (2)

Boone, A. Deborah

Boring, Nicholas Miller: Junior Prom Court (3)
Bowen, George: Thespian Society (1,2,3,4); History Club (1,2); Spanish Club (1,3); "Meet Me in St. Louis" (2); "Jenny Kissed Me", "Kiss Me Kate" (3); Student Council (1,2,3,4)

Bowens, Jim

Boyle, Charles

Boys, Jackie: Science Club, Chess and Checkers Club, History Club, Red Cross Club (1)

Bradfield, Bob: Choir (3,4); Swing Choir (4); Bowling (3)

Branham, Rose: Cheerblock (1); Pioneer Players (2); Concert Club (2,3,4)

Brent, Carole: Quill and Scroll (4); Telstar Staff (3,4); Business Activities Club Secretary (3); Junior Prom Committee (3)

Bright, Robert

Brown, David W.: Choir (2,3,4); Swing Choir (3,4); "Music Man" (1); "Carnival" (2); "Kiss Me Kate" (3); Cross Country, Track (1); Tennis (2)

Brown, Joanne Denise: Silverettes (2); Majorettes (3,4); Pioneer Players, Cheerblock (1)

Bruce, William: Wrestling, Art Club (1)

Buchanan, Diana Jean: Cheerleader, Cheerblock (1); Business Activities Club (3); Fashion Board (4)

Burge, Benjamin: National Honor Society (3,4); Band (1,2,3,4); Pep Band (1,2,3); Science Club (2,3)

Burks, Sherri

Burnicle, Linda: Latin Club (1,2,3,4); Future Nurses Club (1,2,3,4); Secretary (3,4); Red Cross Club (1,2,3,4); Science Club (1,2)

Burrows, Melodie A.: Concert Club (2,3,4)

Butler, Tom: Cross Country (1,2); Basketball, Baseball (1); Track (2,3)

Byrd, Susan: National Honor Society, National Thespians Society (3,4); Pioneer Players (1,2,3,4); Concert Club (2); History Club (1,2); Vanguard Staff (3); "Curious Savage" (1); "Meet Me in St. Louis" (2); "Alas, Babylon" (4); Cheerblock (1,2)

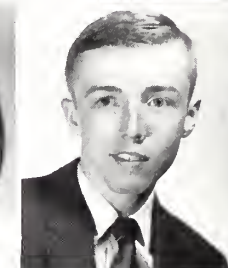
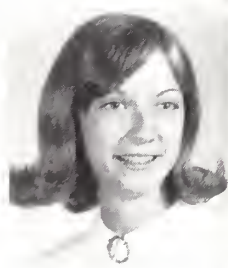
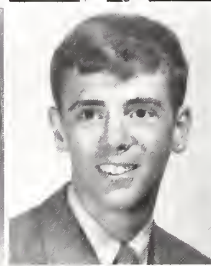
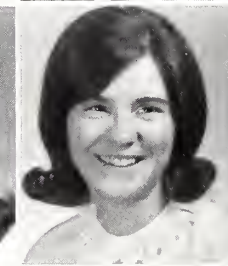
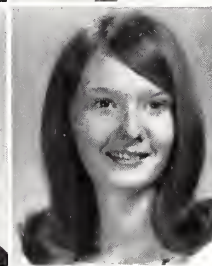
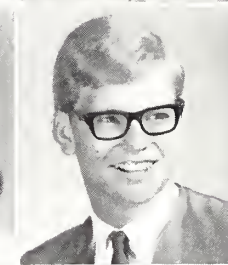
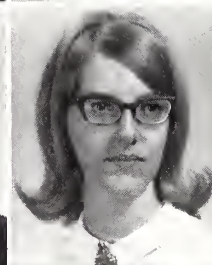
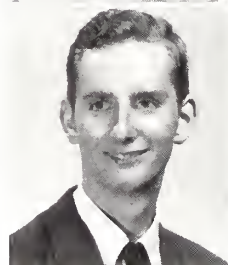
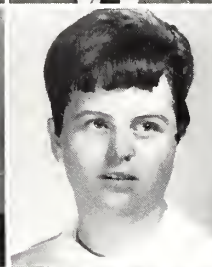
Campbell, Glenn

Campbell, Rita: Orchestra (1,2,3,4); Student Council (4); Fashion Board (4); Business Activity Club (3); "Carnival" (2); "Kiss Me Kate" (3)

Canner, Cheryl: National Honor Society (3,4); Orchestra A (1,2,3,4); All-City Orchestra (1,2,3,4); All-State Orchestra (3,4); "Kiss Me Kate" (3); Junior Prom Committee (3)

Cannon, Sally: Choir (3,4)

Carrico, Michael Joseph: Science Club (2); Business Activities Club (2); Concert Choir (3,4)



Seniors '69



Carroll, Phillip

Carver, Cynthia: Latin Club (2,3)
 Chaika, Barbara: Silverettes (2); Majorettes (3,4);
 Cheerblock (1); Cub Club (1)
 Chasteen, Sally: National Honor Society (3,4);
 Quill and Scroll (3,4); Cheerblock (1); Telstar;
 Vanguard Underclass Editor (4); Vanguard Album
 Editor (3); Junior Prom Committee (3); Fashion
 Board (4); Senior Prom Committee (4)

Cristoff, Penelope: Quill and Scroll (3,4); "Briga-
 doon" (1); "Time Out for Ginger" (3); "Kiss Me
 Kate" (3); Orchestra (1,2,3,4); Choir (4); All-City
 Orchestra (1,2,3,4); All-State Orchestra (1,2,3,4);
 Telstar (2,3); Silver Strings (3,4); News Bureau
 Director (3,4)

Christy, Jo D.: Cub Club (1); Orchestra (1,2,3,4)
 Christy, Joseph: National Honor Society (3,4);
 Thespians (3,4); Cross Country (1,2,3,4); Track
 (2,3,4); Orchestra (1,2,3,4); Choir (1,2,3,4); Swing
 Choir (3,4)

Clark, William D.

Clayton, Don: Bowling (1); Radio Club (1);
 Wrestling (2,3)

Clear, Helen: National Honor Society (3,4);
 Belles (4); Swing Choir (4); Majorette (2,3,4);
 Feature Twirler (4); Bowling League (1,3)

Cockrell, Darlene: Future Nurses Club (1), Sec-
 retary (2); Bowling Club (3,4)

Colby, Cindy: Arlington High School

Colby, Sandy: Arlington High School

Conant, Leslie: Bowling League (1,2,3,4); Concert
 Club (2,3,4); "Meet Me in St. Louis" (2); Busi-
 ness Activities Club (3); Pioneer Players (2)

Constable, Joan

Cosgrove, Gary: Stadium King (4); Student Coun-
 cil (3); Junior Prom Committee (3); Tennis (1,4);
 Wrestling (2); Telstar (4); Vanguard (4)

Coston, Donna: Concert Club Secretary (2); Sil-
 verettes (2); Singing Pioneers (3,4); Choir (3,4);
 "Meet Me in St. Louis" (2)

Couch, Lloyd: National Honor Society (3,4);
 Track (2); Spanish Club (1); International Club
 (2)

Cox, James: Student Council (4); History Club
 (1,2,3,4); Exercise in Knowledge team (2,3,4);
 "Youth Looks at Literature" (2); "Inherit the
 Wind" (1); Thespians (1,2,3,4); Junior Prom Com-
 mittee (3); Speech and Debate Team (3)

Cox, Steven

Crawford, Janice

Crays, Joellen

Creviston, Robert E.: Telstar, Vanguard photog-
 rapher (4)

Crist, Carol

Crosley, Jim: Football (1,2,3,4); Basketball (1);
 Student Council (1), Lettermen Club (3,4)

Crouch, Mike: Basketball (1,2,3,4); Cross Coun-
 try (1); Bowling (1); Lettermen Club (3,4); Junior
 Prom Committee (3)

Cruse, Denise Elizabeth: Bowling (1); Cheer-
 block (1), GAA (1)

Cunningham, Nancy

Seniors '69

Chumbler, Jennifer: Heath High School (1,2,3); Nurses Club (4); F.T.A. (4)
 Dalbey, Brad: Lebanon High School (1,2,3); Wrestling (4)
 Daniel, Diana: Quill and Scroll (3,4); I.U. Summer Journalism Institute (3); Concert Club (2,3); Choir (4); Junior Prom Committee (3); Telstar (3); News Bureau (3,4); "Meet Me in St. Louis" (2); Cheerblock (1)
 Daniels, Stewart

Darrah, Stephanie: National Honor Society (3,4); Belles (3,4); Choir (4); Red Cross Club (1,2,3); President (1); Home Economics Club (2,3); Concert Club (2)
 Davidson, Mary Beth: Student Council (2,3,4); Cheerblock (1,2); G.A.A. (1); Business Activities Club (2); F.T.A. (3); Homecoming Committee (2)
 Davis, Christian: G.A.A. (2); Student Council (1,2); Future Nurses Club (2)
 DeSpain, Belinda: Cheerblock (1); History Club (1,2,3) Secretary (4); Spanish Club Vice-President (3); President (4); Choir (2,3,4) Swing Choir (4); "Carnival" (2)

Deter, Carol: Home Economics Club (1); F.T.A. (3); G.A.A. (4)
 Dill, Greg: Wrestling (1,2,3,4); Football (1); Lettermens Club (3,4); Baseball (1,2)
 Doll, John: Football (1,2,3); Wrestling (1,2,3,4); Baseball (1,2,3,4); Pep Band (1,2,3); Band (1,2,3,4)
 Dorothy, Terry: Student Council (2)

Dotlich, Elaine: G.A.A. (1); Latin Club (2,3); Junior Prom Committee (3); Senior Constitution Committee (4); Student Council (4)
 Dotlich, Steve: Football (1,3,4); Wrestling (1,2,3,4); Junior Prom Candidate (3)
 Dougherty, Penny
 Doughty, Kathleen: Spanish Club (3)

Downing, David: Football (1,2,3,4); Wrestling (1); Track (1); Lettermen Club (3,4); Student Council (2)
 Downing, Keith: Football (1); Track (1); Student Council (1)
 Dozier, Margaret: GAA (1,2); Red Cross (4); Concert Club (4); Cheerblock (1)
 Duncan, Rita

Dunham, Cindy
 Durbin, Jackie Lynn: Student Council (3); Junior Prom Committee (3)
 Dyke, Suzanne: Science Club (2,3,4); French Club (2); Bowling (1)
 Eaton, Herbert Kent

Ely, Linda Dianne: GAA (1,2); Red Cross Club (1,2); Cheerblock (1); Science Club (2); Latin Club (2,3,4); Exercise in Knowledge alternate (2,3,4); German Club (4)
 Engledow, Lee: Football (1,2,3,4); Basketball (1); Lettermen Club (3,4)
 Farrell, Janis: Band (1,2,3,4); Business Club (3)
 Faubion, Don: Band (1,2); Wrestling (1); Cross Country (1)



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Hollowell, James: National Honor Society (3,4); Senior Class President (4)
 Horner, Lee: Spanish Club, History Club (1)
 Howard, Deborah Shawn: Future Nurses of America (1); History Club, Latin Club (2,3,4); Concert Club (3,4); Choir (4)
 Howard, Jenine: National Thespian Society (2,3,4); Varsity Cheerleader (4); Choir (4); All-City Orchestra (1,2,3,4); All-State Orchestra (1,2,3); Orchestra (1,2,3,4); Concert Club (2); Pioneer Players (1,2,3,4); Junior Prom Committee (3); Fashion Board (4)

Howard, Rick: Chess Club (3)
 Huber, Leonhard: National Honor Society (3,4); National Thespian Society (1,2,3,4), Clerk (3), president (4); "Music Man", "The Curious Savage" (1); "Carnival" (2); "Kiss Me Kate" (3); Northwest Passages, editor (3); "Alas, Babylon" (4)

Huber, Suzie: Junior Prom Queen; Student Council (4); Senior Class Alumni Secretary (4); Junior Prom Committee (3); Business Activities Club (3); Vanguard Activities Editor (4), staff (3); Telstar (2); Northwest Passages Circulation Manager (3)

Huisman, Nancy: National Honor Society (3,4); Student Council (3); I.U. Honors Program (4); Silverettes (2); Majorettes (3); Head Majorette (4); "Carnival" (2); Associate Editor Northwest Passages (2); Bowling League (1,2,3,4)

Humphrey, William: Junior Prom Court; Student Council (1,2,3,4); Varsity Basketball (2,3,4); Varsity Golf, Lettermen Club (1,2,3,4)

Hunt, Cathy: G.A.A. (1); A Band (1,2,3,4); Pep Band (1,3)

Hunt, Suzanne: National Honor Society (3,4); Senior Class Secretary (4); Junior Prom Court, Junior Prom Committee (3); Vanguard Queen Candidate (3); Homecoming Queen Candidate (4); Northwest Passages (2); Silverettes (2,3); Student Council (2); Fashion Board (4)

Hunter, Don

Hunter, Linda

Huntley, Janis Beth: National Honor Society (3,4); Marching Band (1,2,3,4); Dance Band (3,4)

Hurt, Jean: Business Activities Club (1)

Ison, Judy

Mr. Robert Burns questions Dave McClellan about a doubtful absence on a typical day in senior homeroom.



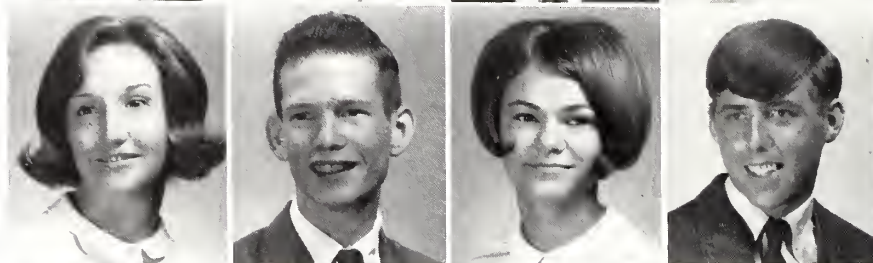
Chris Weldon explains new plays to fellow senior members of the football team.

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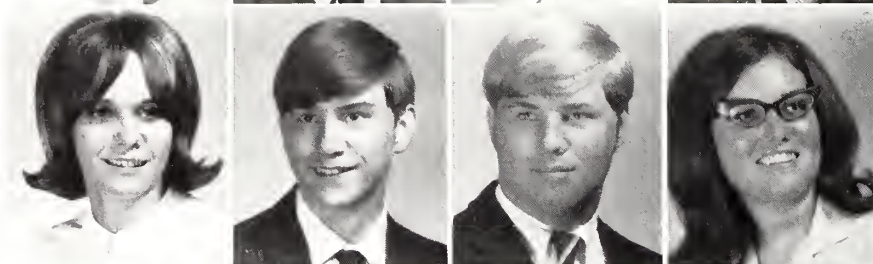
James, Bonnie: Junior Prom Court (3); Science Club (1); Student Council (3); Cheerblock (2)
James, Pat: Silverettes (2,3); Junior Prom Committee (3)
Jarrett, Dave
Johnson, Brenda Kay: Cheerblock (1,2)



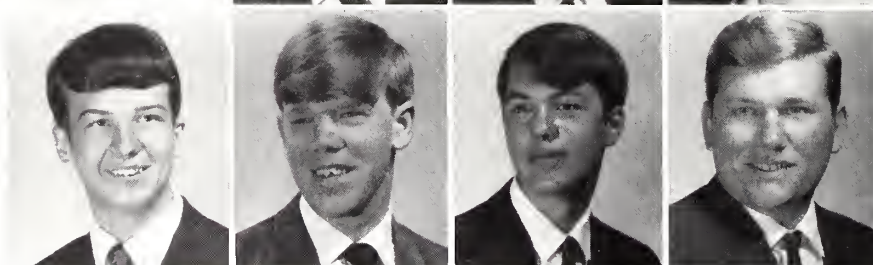
Johnson, Rene: GAA; Silverettes (3)
Johnson, Timothy: Freshman Basketball; Reserve Cross Country; Choir (1,2,3,4); Swing Choir (2,3,4); "Kiss Me Kate"
Jones, Julia Ann
Jones, Robert



Jones, Virgini L.
Judd, Charles: Spanish Club (3)
Junkins, Brent: Vanguard King (4); Football (1,2,3,4); Wrestling (3)
Keelev, Kathie: Orchestra (1); Cheerblock (1,2); Home Economics Club (2); Business (2,3); Junior Prom Committee (3); Vanguard (4)



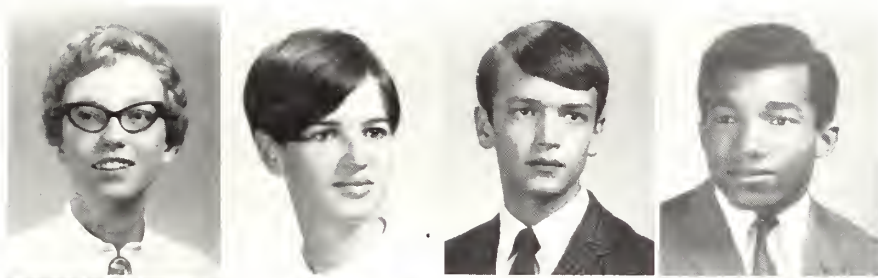
Kimsey, Dean: National Honor Society, Treasurer, (4); Quill and Scroll, Vice-President, (4); "Inherit the Wind," (2); "Meet Me in St. Louis," (2); Telstar, Sports Editor (3); Vanguard Sports Editor (4)
Kirk, Dave: Track (1); Choir; Swing Choir; "Carnival"; "Kiss Me Kate"
Kirkpatrick, Dave: Track (1)
Klonski, Steve



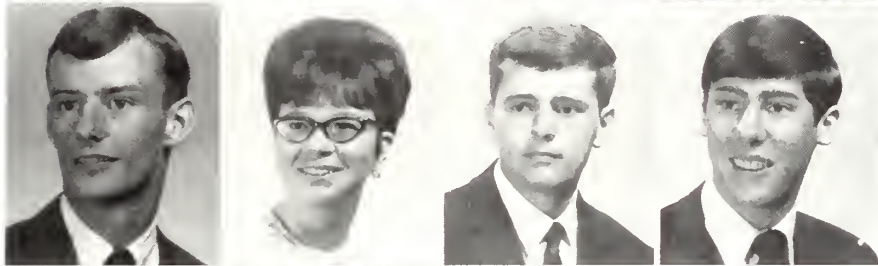
Jane Goerke, senior, types as one of her many duties while helping in the library.



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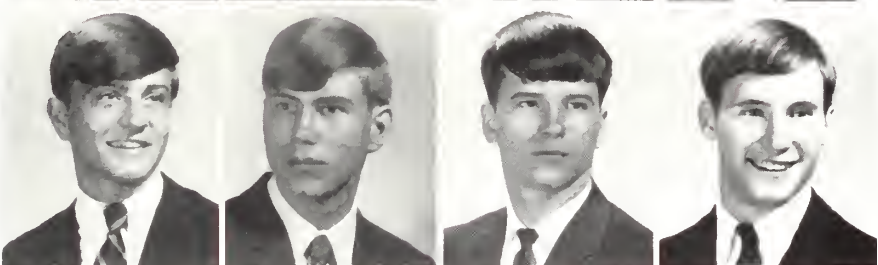
Pruitt, Rebecca: National Honor Society (3,4); Pioneer Players (2,3,4); Telstar (3,4); Quill and Scroll (4); Thespians (3,4); French Club (2,3)
Pace, Judy: Middlesboro High School
Rader, Michael: National Honor Society (3,4); "Music Man" (1); Northwest Passages (3)
Ragland, Ronnie: Football (1,2,3,4); Track (1,3); Letterman's Club (2,3,4); Wrestling (4); Baseball (4)



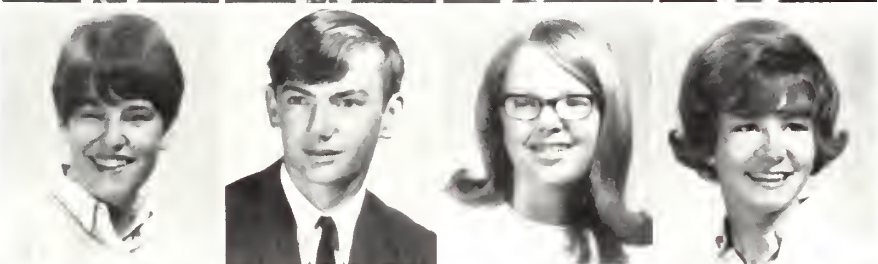
Ransdell, Danny: Senior Class Treasurer; Track (1,2,3,4); Letterman's Club (2,3,4)
Ray, Sandra: Spanish Club (1); GAA (1,2); Orchestra (1)
Reed, Harry: Football (1,2,3,4)
Reed, James: Quill and Scroll (3,4); Secretary (4); Vanguard (3); Business Editor (4); Telstar (2,3); Business Manager (3); Student Council (1); Junior Prom Committee (3)



Reeves, Bob: Wrestling (1)
Richardson, Jed
Richardson, Mike
Rieke, Rita: Silverettes (2); Business Club (3)



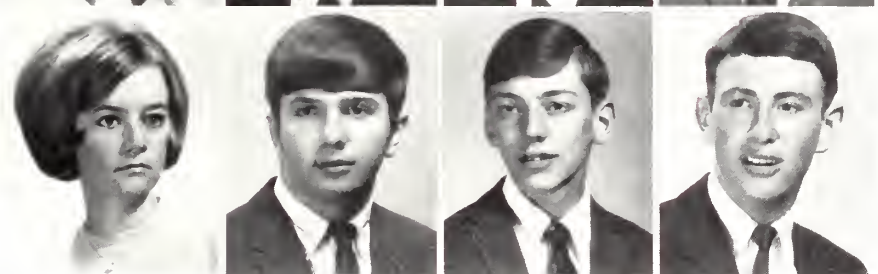
Riggs, James: Choir (2,3,4); Swing Choir (3,4); Future Teachers President (3,4); Latin Club President (2); Cub Club President (1); Thespian (3,4); History Club (2); Pioneer Players (2,3,4)
Ringenberg, James
Ripley, Barry: Football (1,2,3,4); Track (1,2); Junior Prom Committee; Letterman's Club (3,4)
Rivers, Richard



Robinson, Shari: Cheerblock (1); Telstar (2); Pioneer Players (2)
Robinson, Robert: Football (1); Student Council (2)
Rogers, Denita: National Honor Society (3,4); Future Teachers Club (1,2); Junior Prom Committee
Rowe, Jane A.



Rowls, Suellen: National Honor Society (3,4); Student Council (4)
Ruble, William: Bowling (1,2,3,4)
Saligoe, Mike: Football (1); Wrestling (2); Vanguard King Candidate (2)
Samper, Randy



Schmalz, Janine
Schneider, John: Football (3); Student Council (4)
Schnittker, Ronnie
Schooler, David

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Schoppenhorst, Norman: Pep Band (3); A Band (1,2,3,4)

Schouten, Karen: Junior Prom Committee (3); Vanguard staff (4); Cheerblock (2); Student Council Alternate (3)

Scott, Debbie: GAA Secretary (3); Bowling League (2,3); Girls Track Team (3)

Scudder, Harold: Wrestling (1,2,3,4)

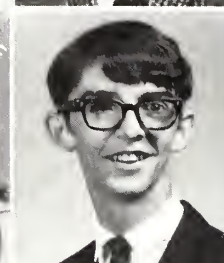


Shaffer, Garry: A Band, Pep Band (1,2,3,4)

Shearer, James: National Honor Society (3,4); Freshman Basketball (1); Varsity Baseball (2,3,4); Lettermen Club (3,4); Junior Prom Committee (3); Hoosier Boys' State Representative (3)

Sheets, Wendy

Shelley, Bruce: Bowling League (2,3); History Club (3); Computer Math Club (4)

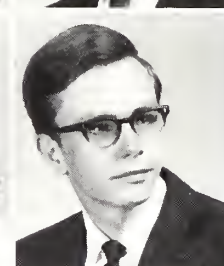


Sherrill, Mike: Football (1,3,4); Wrestling (3)

Shinn, Melva: GAA (1)

Shipp, Gail: Cheerblock (1)

Shirley, Alan: National Honor Society (3,4); Computer Math Club (4); Cub Club (1)

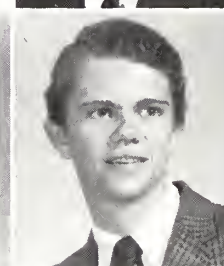
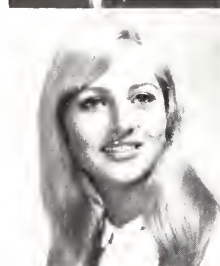


Sholar, Gloria

Short, Pam

Shouse, Donna Marie: Quill and Scroll (3,4); Telstar (2); Page Editor (3); Editorial Editor (4); Pioneer Players (1); Cheerblock (1); Junior Prom Committee (3); Student Council Alternate (1)

Shriner, Edward L.: Basketball (1); Baseball (2)



Shuford, Tom: Kennedy High School, New Jersey

Sidener, Curt: National Honor Society (4); Letterman's Club (3,4); Wrestling (1,2,3,4); Tennis (1,2,3,4); Chess Club (1,2,3)

Sipe, Anna: Student Council (1,2,3,4); Business Activities Club (3); Concert Club (3)

Skinner, Diana: Jamboree Queen (4); Homecoming Queen (4); Cheerblock (1); Cheerleader (2,3,4); Quill and Scroll (3,4); National Honor Society (3,4); Telstar (3); Vanguard Photography Editor (3); "Music Man" (1); Student Council (3); Secretary (4)



Slaughterback, Karen: GAA (1); Silverettes (2); Majorettes (3); National Honor Society (3,4); Secretary (4); Junior Prom Committee (3)

Small, Rita: Cheerblock (2); Business Activities Club (3)

Smashy, James

Smiljanic, Simone: Telstar Staff (3); Quill and Scroll (3,4); Northwest Passages (1,2); Vanguard Staff (3,4)

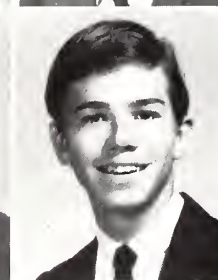


Smith, Jacqueline: Majorette (4); Silverette (2,3); Science Club (2); Junior Prom Committee

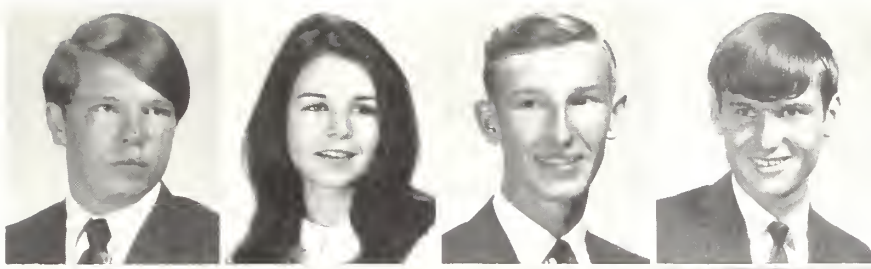
Smith, Kay

Smith, Jerrold: National Honor Society (3,4); French Club (3); Science Club (3); President (4)

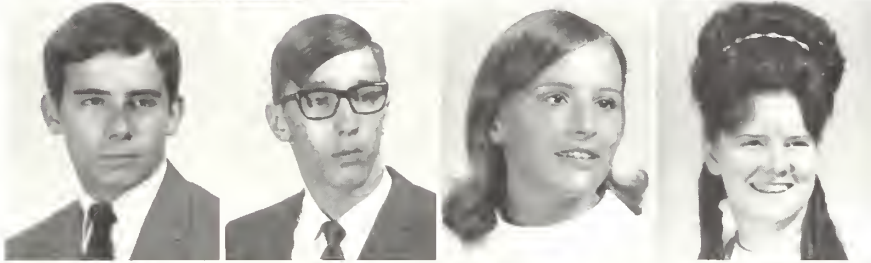
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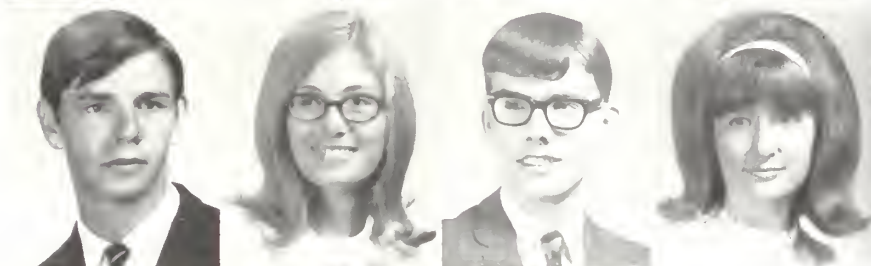
Seniors '69



Snoddy, Meade
 Sprouse, Sandra: Thespians (1,2,3,4), Secretary (4); "Music Man" (1); "Kiss Me Kate" (3); "Meet Me in St. Louis" (2); "The Curious Savage" (1); "Jenny Kissed Me" (3); "Inherit the Wind" (1); "Alas Babylon" (4); "Sound of Music" (4); Choir (3,4); Belles (3,4); Swing Choir (4)
 Stafford, Mike
 Stanich, Steven



Stanley, Rick
 Stark, Glenn: Student Council (1)
 Staten, Linda
 Staten, Mary Jo



Stennett, Ed
 Steorts, Gayle: Band (4)
 Stevens, Larry
 Stratton, Kay: Cheerblock (1); International Club (1)



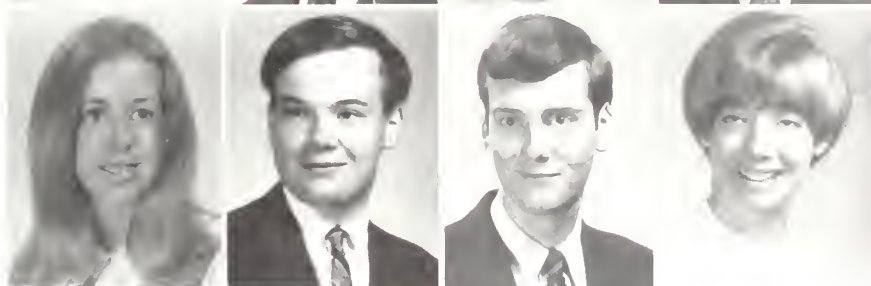
Strole, Bob: Football Student Manager (2); Science Club (1)
 Sullivan, Nancy: National Honor Society (3,4); Student Council (4)
 Swain, Teddy: Cheerblock (1,2); Cheerleader (3,4); Art Club (2); Junior Prom Committee (3)
 Switzer, James: Football (1,2,3); Baseball (1,3,4); Junior Prom Committee (3); Lettermen's Club (3); Student Council (2,3)



Tackitt, Benton: Football (1)
 Taylor, Sue: Silverettes (2,3); Cheerblock (2); Business Activities Club (3,4); Northwest Passages (4); International Club (1)
 Taylor, Tom
 Thomas, Mark



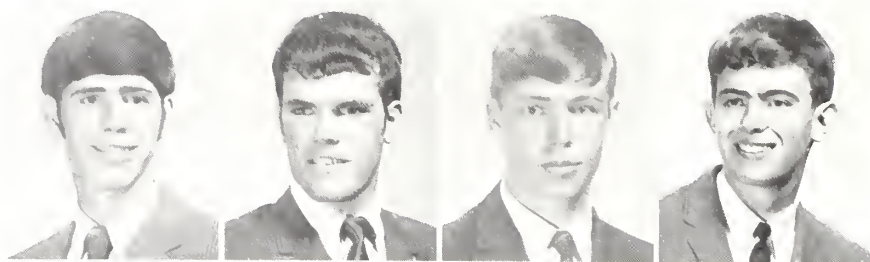
Thompson, Carolyn: Cub Club (1); Pioneer Players (2); G.A.A. (1,2); History Club (3,4); Junior Prom Committee (3); "Carnival" (2)
 Thompson, Gordon: Band (2,4); Orchestra (4); Stage Crew (3,4); Spanish Club (3,4); Thespians (4); Pioneer Players (2); "Alas Babylon", "The Bat" (2)
 Thompson, Linda: Pioneer Players (2); History Club (3); Junior Prom Committee (3); "Carnival"
 Thompson, Thomas



Thompson, Rebecca: Junior Prom Queen Court (3); Homecoming Queen Court; Student Council (4); Telstar (3)
 Trump, Michael
 Troyer, George: Band (2,3,4); Choir (1,2,3)
 VanZandt, Sherry: Band (1); Business Activities Club (2,3), President (4); Junior Prom Committee (3)

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Voorhees, John: Vanguard Sports Editor (3); Telstar (2); Football (3); Junior Prom Committee (3)
 Wagoner, Randy: Track (2)
 Walden, Gene: Band (1,2); Cross Country (2,3,4); Track (2,3,4); Telstar (3,4)
 Walsh, Thomas: R.O.T.C.; Bowling; Football (1)



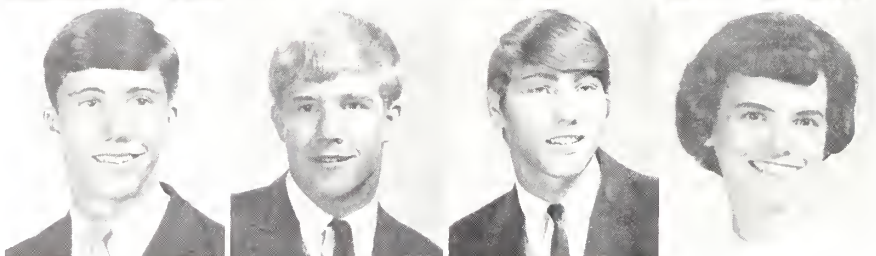
Walters, John: Football (1)
 Wampler, James: Student Council (1); Football (1); Wrestling (2)
 Warren, Lois: Cheerblock (2); G.A.A. (1,2)
 Webster, Deborah: National Honor Society (3,4); Band (1,2,3,4); Concert Club (2); Choir (4); "Music Man" (1); "Meet Me in St. Louis" (2); F.T.A. (4)



Weddle, Micheal: Cross Country (1)
 Weldon, Chris: Junior Prom King (3); Vanguard King Candidate (3); Football (2,3) Captain (4); Lettermans Club; Junior Prom Committee
 Westrich, Linda: Home Economics Club (2)
 White, Dave



Whitesell, John: Band (2,3); Football (2,3); Junior Prom Committee (3); Choir (4)
 Whitten, Richard: Football (3,4); Wrestling (1,2,3); Lettermen Club (3,4); Student Council (3)
 Wilber, Ronnie: Football (1); Student Council
 Williams, Judy: Home Economics Club (1); Junior Prom Committee



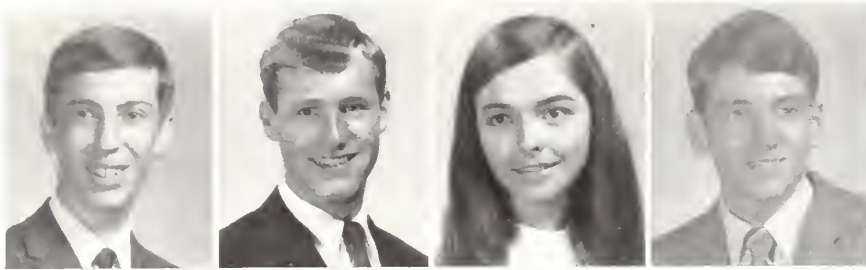
Williams, Michael: Tennis (1); Football (1)
 Williams, Theresa: Student Council (4)
 Williams, Vickie: G.A.A. (1,2,3,4); Bowling (2,3,4); Cheerblock (2,3,4); Speech and Debate Club (3)
 Willoughby, Diana: Junior Prom Committee (3)



Taking a brief morning break, seniors hear the latest announcements in senior homeroom.



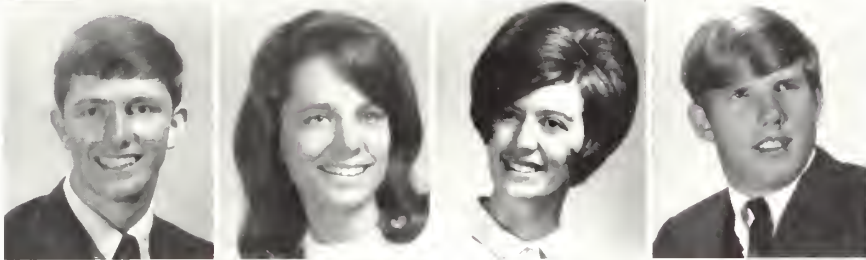
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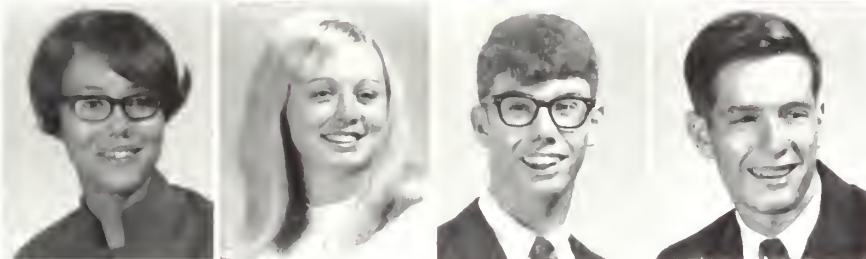
Wilson, David
Wilson, Gerald: Tennis (2,3); Football (1); Student Council
Wilson, Patricia: National Honor Society (3,4); Future Nurses Club (1), Vice-President (2)
Wilson, Ronald: Baseball (1,2,3,4)



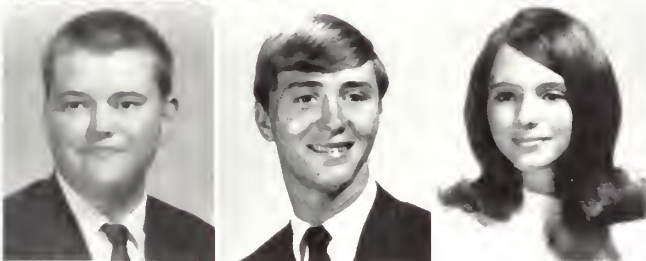
Winiger, Cheryl
Winkel, Vicky
Wise, Michael: Bowling (1)
Wiseman, Janet: Student Council (2); Spanish Club Secretary (3); Future Nurses Club President (2,3); Concert Club (2); Swing Choir (3,4); Junior Prom Committee (3); "Kiss Me Kate" (3); "Meet Me in St. Louis" (2)



Wittman, John: Football
Wolf, Dianne: French Club (1,2,3); Pioneer Players (1,2,3); History Club (1,2), Vice-President (3); Concert Club (2,3)
Wolfe, Patricia: Concert Club (2); History Club (1)
Wolfa, Mark: Golf (1,2,3,4)



Worthington, Sandra: Band (1,2,3,4); Future Nurses Club (1); Pioneer Players (1); History Club (1); G.A.A. (1)
Wroblewski, Cathie: Bowling (1,2)
Wyant, David
Young, Richard: Student Council (1); Baseball (1,2,3,4)

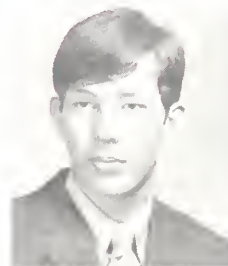


Young, Timothy
Zeiher, John
Ziegler, Patricia: Student Council (2,3,4); Concert Club (3,4)

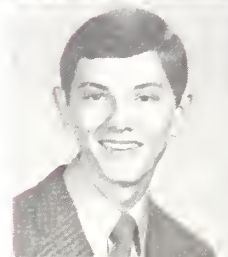


As juniors, members of the class of '69 watch their friends graduate in anticipation of their own graduation.

Late Seniors



McKinley, William



Sickmeier, Ron

Class of 1970 sees end in sight after 11 years work

With the opening of school last fall, the class of 1970 finally had the distinction of being upperclassmen.

Keeping up with certain fads, participating in sports and belonging to other activities aren't all that kept juniors busy. Along with other courses, chemistry and U.S. history were taken.

The junior class has already made many marks which will be looked back upon. Still, the future waits for more progress in their ability—mentally and physically.

The class of '70s spirit was demonstrated when they backed the stadium fund and the junior girl was named queen. Also in spring the juniors sponsored a dance, "Happiness is . . ." to raise money for their prom.

The junior prom which took place in April was only one event which will be looked back upon by many Pioneers. The future though, holds the key to unlock a new year that will be even more meaningful as a senior.



Waiting for the announcement of the king and queen are junior candidates Steve Saligoe and Pat Contos.



Caught in action is Dave Mason, junior, drummer of the "Clan."



JUNIOR STUDENT COUNCIL—FRONT ROW: Vicki Busby, Kathy Cass, Bea Westrich, Connie Fleaka, Diane Carter, Karen Ford; SECOND ROW: Karen Dolan, Candy King, Cathy Mendez, Kathy Thompson, Terry Boring, Mike Bell, Becky Dresser; BACK ROW: Pat Helvey, Barb Paton, George Ann Gunning, Barb Morehous, Ivory McDonald, John Salzer, Tim Burge, Brad Riggs, John Mitney.

Juniors '70

Gray, Russell; Green, Dot; Green, Pat; Green, Ralph; Greenlee, Bonita; Gregory, Geraldine; Grimes, Mike; Guidry, Steve; Gullledge, Don.

Gunning, George Ann; Gunther, Greg; Hagan, Elaine; Hail, Lisa; Hall, Curtis; Hall, Marilyn; Hallagan, Polly; Hamer, Tim; Hamilton, Debbie.

Hamilton, Steve; Hamilton, William; Hampton, Dan; Hancock, Dale; Hand, Steve; Hanover, Charles; Harrington, Wanda; Harris, Pat; Harvey, John.

Harvey, Wendell; Hassell, Tom; Hayes, Steve; Haun, Janice; Hazelwood, Debbie; Headley, Marsha; Hedges, Steve; Helvey, Pat; Helton, Eugene.

Hennigar, Evelyn; Hensley, Dale; Herkless, Mike; Hicks, Bill; Higgs, Mike; Hines, Laveine; Hobbs, Carol; Hogsett, Charles; Holland, Donna.

Holmes, Donna; Holt, Debbie; Hopper, Rickey; Hopton, Debbie; Hubbard, George; Hudson, Ron; Hurley, Pauletta; Hursh, Pat; Hurst, Mike.

Ingram, Frank; Inskip, Darrel; Jackson, Kent; Jackson, Kristie; Jacobs, Bill; James, Gary; Jenkins, Wayne; Jimenez, Pedro; Johnson, Denise.

Johnson, Don; Johnson, Judy; Johnson, Kim; Johnson, Tim; Jones, Aida; Jones, Harold; Jones, Karen; Jordan, Richard; Kazacoff, George.

Keene, Kevin; Keers, Diane; Kegoluits, Valerie; Kemp, Melody; Kerr, Carol; Kersey, Kenny; Kilty, Ann; Kindley, Loula; King, Candy.

King, Cheryl; King, Guy; Kirk, Mark; Kish, Jim; Klinger, Sandy; Komlanc, Ken; Kutz, Larry; Lafata, Pam; Lakin, David.

Lamkin, Cynthia; Larrison, Mike; Leamon, Mike; Leffler, Gary; Leslie, Bill; Liehr, Phil; Lile, Richard; Liming, Judy; Lindsay, Tom.

Linker, Shirley; Linville, Cathy; Linville, Jim; Linville, Mike; Livingston, Sheila; Love, Linda; Lucas, Gary; Luekin, Karin; Mann, Cathy.



Juniors '70

Mannis, Marsha; Martin, Anita;
Mason, David; Mathews, Becky;
Matlock, Bill; Matthews, George;
Mays, Linda; McClain, Karen; Mc-
Coy, Gary

McCrav, Elwood; McDaniel, Ron;
McDonald, Ivory; McFarland,
Mike; McKay, Don; McKinney,
Jack; McLane, Mike; McLaughlin,
Richard; McMillan, Mike

Meetz, Richard; Mendez, Cathy;
Meredith, Larry; Micklev, Pete;
Miclene, Renee; Middlebrook,
Diane; Miller, Diane; Miller, Mar-
cella; Miller, Valerie

Mills, Sally; Minton, Jim; Minton,
Marilyn; Mitchell, Clyde; Mitnev,
John; Moblev, Janet; Moit, Tom;
Montgomery, Debbie; Montgom-
ery, Linda

Moore, Rickie; Morehead, Judy;
Morehous, Barbara; Morgan, Glen-
na; Mull, Debbie; Munn, Steve;
Myers, Myer; Nesbitt, Carole;
Nichols, Nancy

Nicholson, Mike; Niemann, Max;
Nissen, Cathy; Oaks, Eddie; O'Ban-
non, Terry; Olds, Sue; Ollier,
Mark; Oprisu, Rick; O'Rourke,
Cathy

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rian, Ken; Zeiher, Katrina; Zwern-
er, Jane.



Juniors use lunch time to gather with friends and catch up on the latest gossip.





Trombonist Steve Hamilton, junior, practices in the early morning chill.



Sophomores and juniors team up to form the ROTC Sponsors. FRONT ROW sophomores are Cheryl O'Riley, Gail Albright and Rene Chumbler; BACK ROW juniors are Ann Schumacher, Linda Beach and Vicki Anderson.



Pattie Contos, junior, sorts pictures for the junior section of the yearbook.



Junior Julie Evans and sophomore Peggy McCauley help junior John Salzer with the task of preparing a research paper.

Sophomores' class rings give feeling of belonging

The class of '71 returning for their second year at Northwest found the routine a little more familiar than one year ago.

Throughout the year, sophomores were found dissecting fish and frogs. Likewise, they were seen in geometry classes learning the bisecting of planes and memorizing postulates and theorems.

In addition to classroom studies, many achieved high goals in extra-curricular activities and a wide variety of sports. The sophomores were

well represented on varsity and reserve teams in football, basketball and wrestling, besides having four girls leading cheers for the reserve squad. A sophomore represented his class on the Exercise in Knowledge team. Also, several girls put much time and practice into each performance of the Silverettes, while others worked with the band.

The big moment of the year for the sophomore class was the receiving of class rings.



Sophomores Joe Abrams and Garry Lowe look over the menu selection for the day.



Sophomore varsity football team members Mike Tillery, Mike Hinderliter, and Chuck Cox discuss underclassmen strategy.



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Sophomores eagerly rush through the serving line daily in the cafeteria.

Freshmen open door to new way of living at NHS

Seven hundred and twenty-five new faces were seen around Northwest this past year. Lockers, home room periods and all-school assemblies presented just a few of the problems freshmen confronted. The class of '72 was well represented by four cheerleaders, members of Cub Club and Student Council and candidates for king and queen at the stadium dedication game and the

Vanguard Variety Show.

The world of sports, drama and music are just a few of the interests which became a part of every freshman's life, involving him in the ways of NHS.

Three years await these young people and they will be the ones who will benefit from Northwest and make it better for years to come.



A new experience to freshmen is not only lunching in the cafeteria, but budgeting for it, too.



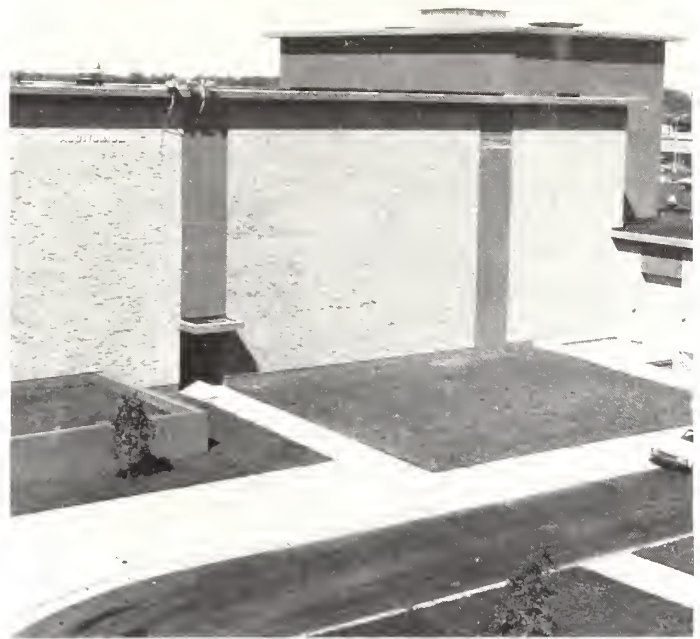
Jim Wetzel represents his class on the Exercise in Knowledge team as the only freshman member.



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The long vertical windows of NHS become a familiar sight to members of the new freshman class.



Entering school from the busses, freshmen view the vastness of the high school's auditorium.



Viewing the school at night is a new experience to the freshmen when they return for evening activities.



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